

Rochester Numismatic Association Meeting Minutes



1933

R. N. A. MEETINGS			Prepared By	Robert	E.	Doty	04/05/2004
PRESIDENTS TERM		1933	01/01/1933	12/31/1933			
PRESIDENTIAL MEDAL YEAR & MEDAL NUMBER			1933	22			
PRESIDENT				John	W.	Sloane	
VICE-PRESIDENT				Charles	W.	Foster	
SECRETARY				Charles	W.	Foster	
TREASURER				Alphonse	A.	Kolb	
OTHER CLUB MEDALS		NONE					
MEETING PLACE =	Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences, Edgerton Park						
MEETINGS 1st.& 3rd.	Tuesday	Tuesday					
Month	Date	Date					
JANUARY	3	17					
* Banquet - 21 st. Banquet Hotel Rochester							
mtg. #	479	480					
FEBRUARY	7	21					
mtg. #	481	482					
MARCH	7	21					
mtg. #	483	484					
APRIL	4	18					
mtg. #	485	486					
MAY	2	16					
mtg. #	487	488					
JUNE	6	26	Sat. 10				
mtg. #	489	490	1st. Outing				
JULY	8 **	18	** Sat. 8 & Mtg				
mtg. #	491	492	2 nd. Outing				
AUGUST	5 **	15	** Sat. 5 & Mtg				
mtg. #	493	494	3 rd. Outing				
SEPTEMBER	NO	19	Sat. 9				
mtg. #	MTG.	495	4 th. Outing				
OCTOBER	10	31	Sat. 14				
mtg. #	496	497	5 th. Outing				
NOVEMBER	NO	21					
mtg. #	MTG.	498					
DECEMBER	12	NO					
mtg. #	499	MTG.					
Sloane PRESIDENTIAL MEDAL STRUCK BY Bastian Brothers Co. , Rochester, N.Y.							
Alphonse A. Kolb - Sculptor & Die Cutter - Obverse							
Joseph A. Koeb - Sculptor & Die Cutter - Reverse							
	Metal	Medals Made	Cost				
	Bronze	50	\$2.00				

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OFFICERS

of the

ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION

President: John W. Sloane

Vice-President: Charles W. Foster

Secretary: Charles W. Foster

Treasurer: Alphonse A. Kolb

1933.
ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION NUMBER 1.

NOTICE.

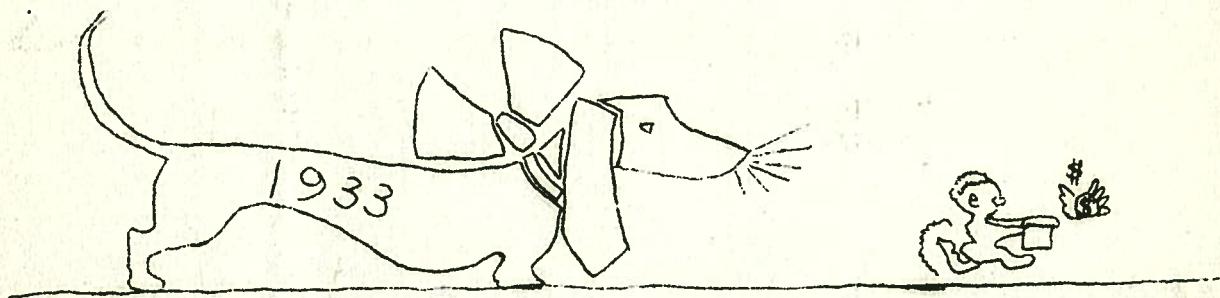
The Twenty-first Annual Banquet will be held Tuesday January 3rd at the Hotel Rochester at 6:30 P. M. Banquet tickets are One Dollar and a Quarter.

Mr. George J. Bauer will be the Toast Master and install the following officers for the coming year;

President: Mr. John W. Sloane.

Vice-President
& Secretary: Mr. Charles W. Foster.

Treasurer: Mr. Alphonse A. Kolb.



NOTICE.

The next regular meeting of the Association will be Tuesday January 17th, at 8 P. M. at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences.

The program for this meeting will be determined later.



CWF Sec'y

TWENTY-FIRST ANNUAL BANQUET OF THE R. N. A.

The twenty-first annual banquet of the Rochester Numismatic Association was held on January 3rd at the Hotel Rochester. The club witnessed its largest turnout of members at a banquet in its history. The following members were present: A. J. Kaufman, J. W. Horner, R. H. Reddick, J. C. Woodbury, C. E. Moore, J. B. Harzinski, P. M. Lange, G. A. Gillette, R. W. Lewis, A. H. Plumb, C. A. Peake, G. J. Lindboe, F. E. Peake, I. B. Bernstein, L. L. Babin, A. A. Koll, J. W. Sloane, L. Liess, G. J. Bauer, A. C. Parker, W. H. Amberg, E. G. Bauer, W. F. Sundt and C. W. Foster.

Geo. J. Bauer acted as Toastmaster and efficiently installed the following officers for 1933: President, J. W. Sloane; vice-president and secretary, C. W. Foster; treasurer, A. A. Kohl.

The "chicken dinner," was enjoyed by all and throughout the meal the collecting spirit prevailed in the form of collecting autographs on the programs.

A treasure chest which had the earmarks of Captain Kidd was opened and gold pieces-of-eight were distributed in honor of the R. N. A.'s twenty-first birthday. It was said that Charley Foster dug the chest up just off Point Peake, on Irondequoit Bay.

Under Mr. Bauer's able direction every member present had an opportunity to say a few words. The general trend of the talks indicated that "depressions" could stop the coin bug's purchasing power, but they could not touch his interest.

TREASURE SALVAGED FROM SUNKEN LINER.

A few months ago a press dispatch from Brest, France, stated that "divers working on the sunken liner Egypt, which went down ten years ago, have taken from the bullion room of the steamer much of the consignment of paper money on board. These were 10-rupee notes printed in brown ink and 100-rupee notes in blue ink by Waterlow & Sons, Ltd., of London, for 'the Government of His Exalted Highness the Nazam of Hyderabad.' The amount of this currency on board was about \$500,000. It has no value now except as curios, as the issue was canceled shortly after the sinking of the steamer. The notes are said to be in remarkably perfect condition after lying at the bottom of the ocean for ten years. Divers are continuing the salvaging in the hope of locating \$5,000,000 worth of gold and silver coins in the bullion room."

The Chase National Bank, New York City, has secured a few specimens of the money salvaged from the liner and has them on exhibition in its coin collection room. A card displayed with them reads as follows:

"The British gold sovereign and the three notes (State of Hyderabad, India) displayed in this exhibit were salvaged from the wreck of the liner 'Egypt' off the coast of France. They were brought up to the deck of the salvaging vessel 'Artiglio' from the sunken liner 400 feet below the surface."

"By special dispensation these exceptional specimens were given to the Chase National Bank for its collection of Monies of the World through the courtesy of friends in London. With the exception of a few gift pieces, the gold and silver recovered from the 'Egypt' in 1932 is held under seal in England pending court decisions on its ownership. About \$3,250,000 billion value has been recovered and \$1,750,000 of treasure still remains in the wreck. The 'Artiglio' will renew its salvage work next summer."

"When the liner sank in 1922 a new issue of bank notes totaling 52,000,000 rupees were stored in the ship's safe en route to India. Large quantities of these notes were brought up from the wreck, some badly damaged by water. Others like the specimens in this case, were only slightly discolored, as the metal containers kept them dry until sprung during the process of lifting. Thousands of notes were brought up and taken to England. A memorandum has been stamped on the notes stating that they are of no value. However, the matter is in litigation and the salvaged paper money is now held under seal until the courts settle the dispute."

(Copy of imprint on salvaged notes): "This note is of no monetary value. It was recovered in June, 1932, by the Italian salvage vessel 'Artiglio' from the bullion room of the liner 'Egypt' sunk off Ushant on May 24, 1922, in 31 depth of 400 feet."

SPENDING CERTIFICATES OF PINE BLUFF, ARK.

The depression period will bring to the numismatist many items for collection and classification, and it is perhaps just as well to get the information in printed form before a great deal of research work is necessary. The Spending Certificates used in Pine Bluff, Ark., are also known as D. C. Young Plan Certificates, and have been issued primarily to aid depositors of defunct banks. More than 8000 depositors in four closed banks in the county are to benefit from the issue. Certificates are issued in the denominations of \$1, \$5, \$10 and \$20 and are sold by the trustee for the "Young Plan" for 100 cents on the dollar, and are accepted on the same basis as cash by grocers, butchers and other merchants.

To participate, the depositor who has an account in a closed bank transfers such account to the trustee and receives an account number. When he has money to spend, he purchases certificates in the amount to be spent and they bear his account number. When the certificate is returned to the trustee for redemption the holder receives only 96 cents on the dollar. The certificates plainly state that the redeemable value is only 96 cents, but until it is redeemed it is worth 100 cents. Each certificate must be redeemed within ten days of its issuance.

Of the four cents retained by the trustee out of each dollar, three and one-third cents is credited to the account of the person who purchased the certificate. At regular intervals, or on demand, dividends will be paid. The remaining two-thirds of cent out of each dollar is used for overhead of the plan.

TENINO'S WOODEN MONEY NETS CONSIDERABLE PROFIT.

According to a press report during January, the issue of the wooden money in the town of Tenino, Wash., in the early part of 1932, has proved to be quite a profitable business transaction, due to the fact that comparatively little of it has been presented for redemption, nearly all of the unredeemed pieces being held by collectors as souvenirs. The press report stated that as much as \$2.50 has been paid for some of the 25-cent "notes." This series of emergency currency was described and illustrated in the April and May, 1932, issues of *The Numismatist*.

According to the press report, out of approximately \$7200 issued since December, 1931, only \$45 was presented for redemption. Of the approximately \$3600 due for redemption December 30, the Chamber of Commerce had to redeem only \$3.50, and as the balance was voided there was a profit of more than \$3500.

With this profit the Chamber of Commerce bought the building and fixtures of the defunct Citizens Bank and is now ready to install a branch bank as soon as the Legislature will permit. Since the wooden money was issued to depositors in the bank, the \$3,500 will go to them as a dividend, releasing that much more "gold" in Tenino. The bank already has paid a twenty per cent. dividend.

"DEPRESSION" TODAY AND FOUR THOUSAND YEARS AGO.

Four thousand years ago the ancient Egyptians were weeping about "conditions," and gang rule as well as business slumps were included in their worries. This according to an authentic papyrus recently uncovered. The Egyptian newspaper, published in Memphis, has this to say about conditions: "A few lawless men are depriving the land of sovereignty. The laws are cast out and the men walk upon them in public. The lawbreaker is lord of wealth; the rich man has lost all. Scanty is gold; craftsmen are without work; the reaper of the harvest gets nothing, while he who plowed, not profits. The land is depleted. There are more rulers than ever. I show thee a land turned upside down."

This dolorous wailing about conditions in Egypt forty centuries ago might have been taken from an American newspaper of the present day. Yet who can deny that the world has gone forward since 3068 B. C.?

and second coinages; 1897, Third Republic, 5c.; 1908, Third Republic, 5c., new type; 1918, 5 centimes, nickel; 1855-56, Nap. III, 10c., Lyons and Rouen mints; 1897, Third Republic, 10c.; 1918, 25 centimes, nickel; 1916, 10c., bronze, planchet made in Spain; 1845, Louis Philippe I, $\frac{1}{2}$ fr., silver, Rouen mint. (No copper coins issued during this reign except for French colonies.) 1904, 2 francs, silver; 1911, French Indo-China, 1 cent, br.; 1913, French Indo-China, 10c., silver; 50 centime and 5 franc notes, crisp, war issues of various localities.

Mr. Eastwood: Medals: England, George II, 1727; Edward VII, 1902, U. S., Lewis and Clark Centennial Exposition, 1905; Lincoln Centennial, Pratt, 1909; Carnegie Institute of Technology, fifteenth anniversary and eightieth birthday of Andrew Carnegie, 1915; England, Victoria, Gothic crown, 1847; Godless florin, 1849; Jubilee Shilling, 1887; Jamaica, uncirculated copper set, Edward VII, 1905.

Mr. McCune: France, 5 francs, silver, Louis XVIII, 1819; 1 franc, 1922; 2 francs, 1922; 50 centimes, 1922; 25 centimes, 1918; 25 centimes, 1904, and four copper coins of Nap. III.

Mr. Gies: 72 French coins, gold, silver and copper, from 1615 to 1918.

DETROIT COIN CLUB—207th meeting, January 5. Members present: Messrs. Hubel, Watson, Dworkowski, Dodd, Rapp, Brisley, Kling, Fulton, Snyder, Noyes, Hoare, Needels and Siehfest. The meeting was called to order by the President, Mr. Robert Hubel.

Mr. Dodd reported on the exhibition cases he saw, belonging to Mr. Clarke, while he was in Jamestown, N. Y., during the holidays. Mr. Clarke gave him all data on the cases and he also made an interesting sketch of them.

Mr. Dworkowski and Mr. Dodd were appointed a committee of two to put abstracts and coin data found in numismatic magazines, etc., in the Detroit News hobby sheet weekly.

Mr. Dworkowski spoke on several copper coins which he was exhibiting. Mr. Hoare gave a short talk on bidding at auctions and how he started collecting coins.

Mr. Brisley gave an interesting story on collecting Canadian pennies several years ago.

Mr. Snyder exhibited specimens of Tenino's wooden money of April, 1932, \$1; issue of April, 1932, 50c.; issue of August, 1932, 25c. Sixty copper coins of Austria, from 1515 to 1879, were exhibited by Mr. Dworkowski.

DETROIT COIN CLUB—208th meeting, January 19. President Hubel presiding. Members present: Messrs. Bauer, Hubel, Kramer, Hoare, Dworowski, Duff, Hanna, Fulton, Noyes, Curto, Stehfest, Dodd and A. Diveley. Visitors, Messrs. J. Mattison and A. Beck.

Motion was made and seconded that the membership of the club be notified that at the first meeting in February we would vote on the type of exhibition cases we would use for our joint exhibition with the stamp club.

The club had the pleasure of an unexpected visit from George J. Bauer, of Rochester, N. Y. He gave us a very interesting talk on coins he was exhibiting and other numismatic items of interest.

The meeting adjourned, after which an auction was held.

Exhibits were as follows:

Mr. Bauer exhibited eight Roman gold coins from his collection. These were from the cache unearthed at Luxor, Egypt, some years ago and are in a very fine state of preservation. They probably were a part of a collection of some ancient collector, as they were all different.

Mr. Hoare exhibited the following: Medal, 1840, Napoleon, in bronze; history of all conquests in floral circle; perfect condition. Medal, 1812, Napoleon, in bronze, extremely fine condition. Greek gold solidus of Honori, 395-423 A. D., uncirculated.

ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION—January 17. President Sloane presiding. The following members were present: Messrs. Harzinski, Horner, Lange, G. J. Lindhoe, Parker, Dr. Peake, Bernstein, Plumb, Amberg, Babin, Moore, Sloane, Sunday, Liess, Kolb, Gillette, Becker and Foster. Messrs. G. H. Thompson and W. H. Whiteman were visitors.

A communication from Mr. Charles Markus was read with interest, and the secretary was instructed to send him his 1933 membership card.

One-mill tokens by W. F. Dunham were distributed to A. N. A. members, as requested by Mr. Dunham in his letter.

The subject of having envelopes printed was discussed and the secretary was authorized to have such work done as he needed. The meeting was turned over to the auctioneer.

ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION—February 7th, President Sloane presiding. The following members were present: Messrs. Lange, Sloane, Kaufman, Harzinski, Horner, Amberg, G. J. Lindhoe, Dr. Peake, Dr. Parker, G. J. Bauer, Babbin, Sunday, Ross and Foster.

President Sloane informed the members that Treasurer Kolb was convalescing from a tonsil operation.

The 1932 Presidential Medal of Mr. Lindhoe was shown and placed on sale.

In accordance with the ruling made early in 1932 that those with a perfect record of attendance would receive a medal, the following were presented with the medal: W. H. Amberg, A. H. Plumb, J. W. Horner, P. M. Lange and C. W. Foster.

Mr. Bauer informed the members of the death of the wife of L. A. Renaud, of Montreal. The secretary was instructed to write Mr. Renaud of our sympathy.

A. L. Ross, our railroading actor, gave us a short sketch illustrating "Pop-eye," with other impersonations. Mr. Ross was extended a vote of thanks for his entertaining act.

After the regular auction the meeting was adjourned.

COLUMBUS (OHIO) NUMISMATIC SOCIETY—Fifteenth regular meeting, February 13th. This meeting was well attended, there being fourteen members present, as well as several visitors.

Through the generosity of our President, Mr. Burton, the society was the recipient of an 1803 dollar, which was disposed of and the proceeds turned over to the treasurer.

Much interest was evidenced in the bidding at the auction. The honors of auctioneering were divided between Mr. Burton and Dr. Henderson. We would like to say at this time that while "Doc" is not serving in an official capacity this year, he is always present and free to offer his able assistance whenever needed.

Owing to the fact that the general opinion of those present seemed to be that once a month was not often enough to get all the "numismaties" out of our systems, a special meeting was called for the 27th of this month.

NORTHAMPTON NUMISMATIC SOCIETY—January 25. Members present: Messrs. Morse, Miller, Kohler, Drowne, Bigelow, Dickinson, Paul-hus, Joyce, Parsons and Hill, also three visitors.

Officers elected for the year 1933 were: Myron J. Parsons, president; Ernest J. Bigelow, vice-president; Elzear J. Paul-hus, secretary-treasurer. Many of the members exhibited coins and curiosities and the meeting was very sociable. Some coins were also sold and entertainment was arranged for the next meeting.

WESTERN RESERVE NUMISMATIC CLUB—144th meeting, February 8th, with the following members present: Messrs. Cook, Freeman, Gregor, Joers, Klaus, McElroy, Mitzman, Molnar, Orr, Reidenbach, Sawicki, Sheridan, Spence, Tidd, Warner, Windau, and Mr. E. A. Gregor as a guest.

March 25 was definitely decided on as the date for the joint meeting with the Pittsburgh and Youngstown clubs, and about ten members signed their intentions of attending.

Robert L. Cook and John Tidd were elected to membership and the names of Willard Hirsh 2d, and M. Wetin were proposed for membership.

Mr. Rickford, who, on account of sickness, has been unable to attend the last four meetings, showed that he is still very much interested in the members and the club activities by writing a very interesting paper pertaining to Washington and Lincoln and their contributions to civilization.

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ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION NUMBER II.

NOTICE.

The next regular meeting of the Association will be held at the Rochester Museum of Arts & Sciences, Tuesday February 7th at 8 P. M.

The second meeting in February will be held as above on February 21 st. Rememver notices are only sent once a month now. The best way to remember meeting nights is to remember that they are always held on "The first and third Tuesdays" of each month.

IMPORTANT.

Your 1933 Dues are due and payable to Mr. A. A. Kolb Treasurer, his address is 453 North Clinton Ave., Rochester, N. Y.

BY-LAWS.
ARTICLE III.

DUES "All members except honorary members, shall pay the sum of \$2.00 in advance, which, shall be appropriated to defray the expenses of the Association; and no member who is in arrears for more than one full quarter shall be permitted the rights of membership until such delinquencies are paid".

PLEASE REGARD THIS AS AN OFFICIAL NOTIFICATION. IF YOU HAVE NOT ALREADY DONE SO, DO IT NOW.

NUMISMATIC MAXIMS FOR BEGINNERS
AND OTHERS.

(Numismatist June 1931).

- 1."Don't lose your head at an auction sale and bid out of all reason for a coin just because some one else is doing the same thing. It has often happened that the dealer has the same coin in stock that could be bought for less money!".
- 2."Don't set your heart on acquiring any coin right off, if you force the market you generally have to pay more than it is worth".
3. " If you are a young man you can afford to wait: it is only the old men who cannot".

O.W. Sec'y.

After distributing the one-mill token to all present, the secretary was asked to write a letter of thanks to Mr. Dunham, and also thank Mr. Zerbe for sending the pamphlets of the Chase Bank collection for all members, through Mr. Werner.

Mr. Goldberger was appointed exchange clerk.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mr. Koopman, at 1411 Fourth St., Brooklyn, on April 12, at 8 P. M.

WASHINGTON NUMISMATIC SOCIETY—February 14. President George H. Russell presiding. Members present: Messrs. Russell, Deetz, Heide, Klakring, McCauley and Zug. A. J. Driscoll as a visitor.

As there was no business to come before the meeting, the evening was devoted to a general discussion of numismatics in general and the exhibition of coins and tokens by Mr. Zug, which consisted of Russian and German war money of various denominations, Greek and Roman small silver and bronze. Mr. Zug also exhibited an encased postage stamp of 1885 with a blank reverse and a collection of freak nickels.

The subject for the next meeting was given as American tokens prior to the Hard Times tokens, or perhaps would be called Colonials.

WASHINGTON NUMISMATIC SOCIETY—March 14. President Russell presiding. Members present: Messrs. Russell, Deetz, Fox and Hodge. The exhibit consisted of a collection of Colonial tokens presented by Mr. Russell. A general discussion of the banking situation was discussed and numismatics in general.

NUMISMATIC AND ANTIQUARIAN SOCIETY OF PHILADELPHIA—A stated meeting of the society was held February 27 at the invitation of J. Bertram Lippincott at his residence, 1512 Spruce Street. Present: Twenty-five members and a number of guests. Mr. J. Bertram Lippincott, vice-president, presided.

The curator of numismatics reported the accession of four medals since the last meeting, one of which is the Purple Heart Medal of Merit lately received by the Federal Government; also a fine medal of President Wilson. Mr. Morris read a memorial of our late President, Eli Kirk Price.

After the conclusion of the business session the society listened to a learned and interesting paper on "The University Museum's Excavations in Italy," by Johan Johnson, Ph. D., at the conclusion of which the subject was discussed and after adjournment a collation was served.

ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION—February 21st. 482nd meeting. President Sloane in the chair. The following members were present: Messrs. Parker, Dr. Peake, Sloane, Ambberg, Harzinski, Cabelka, Plumb, Lange, G. J. Lindhoe, Babin, Kohl, G. J. Bauer, Grover, Gillette, Horner and Foster. Magnus H. Johanson and Mrs. Cecelia M. Hart were also present. Magnus H. Johanson, of 734 Woodbine avenue, was unanimously elected to membership.

Most of the discussion was about the bargains and the prices obtained at the sale of the Dr. French collection on February 17 and 18. The auction contained several interesting medals. Among them were medals commemorating the first balloon ascension, the first free clinic and the first hospital.

ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION—March 7, 483rd meeting. President Sloane presiding. The following members were present: Messrs. Horner, Kamfman, Kohl, Gillette, Lange, Becker, Harzinski, Ambberg, Plumb, Babin, Johanson, Sundar, Sloane, Liess, and Foster. The following visitors were present for ladies' night: Mr. and Mrs. Ticknor, Mrs. Horner, Mrs. Oliver, Mrs. Plumb, Mrs. Foster, Mrs. Bauer, Mrs. Gillette, Mrs. Kolb and Mrs. Hart.

The secretary read a newspaper clipping that Mr. Kaufman found in the Times-Union for March 4th, under "Rochester's Past," and is as follows: "Twenty Years Ago Today. Highest temperature, 32 degrees; lowest, 32 degrees. Members of the Rochester Numismatic Association criticized the

Buffalo nickel, declaring that it was poorly executed and that the heads of the buffalo and Indian were too large for the size of the coin." The meeting was then turned over to the auctioneer, who conducted a spirited auction in which a number secured bargains.

Mr. Ambberg gave a short talk and illustrated it with several tokens. The subject of Mr. Ambberg's discussion was "The Origin of the Word 'Dominion' on Canadian Coins." Mr. Amberg brought out the fact that when the committee on coin design were discussing what they should use one of the members suddenly declared that "Dominion" should be used because it was used in the 72nd Psalm, which perfectly described Canada. President Sloane's son, Erwin Sloane, gave the coin bugs and their wives a demonstration of magic, which was very good and was thoroughly enjoyed by all present. Ice-cream and cake were served.

AN ISSUE OF SCRIP WITH A LITTLE KICK.

Among the issues of scrip born of the recent bank holiday is one which probably deserves at least honorable mention, both on account of the locality in which it saw the light of day and the business concern which issued it. Its existence was made known to the world in a press dispatch from Barstow, Cal., which said:

"This little desert city, far from financial centers, has gone in for 'news-paper money.' It is believed to have been one of the first towns in California to circulate scrip after the start of the bank holiday. Lloyd E. Tiernan, publisher of the Barstow Printer, started it all. The idea immediately spread, and soon nearly everyone in Barstow was doing business on 'Printer scrip.' Tiernan has the cash to redeem the issue when the need for it passes. The scrip was issued in denominations of 25 and 50 cents and \$1."

A specimen illustrated in the Los Angeles Times reads as follows: "Made to Spend—Not to Hoard." Issued March 6, 1933. No. 311. Twenty-five Cents. Barstow Printer Scrip. Will be accepted at its full face value in trade by the merchants of Barstow Home Owned Stores. Guaranteed by the Barstow Printer, Commercial Printers and Publishers. (Signed by Lloyd E. Tiernan, Martha Tiernan, Publishers.)"

In reporting this issue to us Robert D. Shank, of Los Angeles, writes: "Incidentally, this is the town that years ago charged the miners \$1 for their Saturday night bath. The bath consisted of two towels—one dry, one damp."

ORDER OF GOOD CHEER.

North American adventurers hold a warm spot in our heart and stories of them hold our interest. This particular story deals with Samuel de Champlain, captain-in-ordinary to His Majesty King Henry IV of France, and father of New France. On one of the voyages Champlain and Sieur de Monts in 1604 sailed into the Bay of Fundy, and through what is now called Digby Gut into Annapolis Basin. Opposite the mouth of the Annapolis River they erected a fort. This site proved unsatisfactory, and in 1605 they built a fort six miles up the Annapolis River, calling it Port Royal. This was the first European settlement in America north of the Gulf of Mexico. Sieur de Monts returned to Europe, but Champlain remained, and in the winter of 1606-7 instituted the Order of Good Cheer, of which he wrote: "We spent this winter very pleasantly, and had good fare by means of the Order of Good Cheer, which I established, and which everybody found beneficial to his health, and more profitable than all sorts of medicine we might have used. This order consisted of a chain which we used to place about the neck of one of our people, commissioning him for that day to go hunting. The next day it was conferred upon another, and so in order. All visited with each other to see who could do the best and bring back the finest game. We did not come off badly, nor did the Indians who were with us."

Marc Lescarbier, a poet and historian in Champlain's company, also furnishes a fine account of the order: "I shall relate how, in order to keep our table joyous and well provided, an order was established, which was called the Order of Good Cheer, originally proposed by Champlain. To this order

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ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION NUMBER III.

MARCH

NOTICE.

meetings!

The next regular meeting of the Association will be held at the Rochester Museum of Arts & Sciences, Tuesday March 7, at 8 P. M.

Tuesday

PROGRAM.

the 7th.

At this meeting President Sloane's son, Erwin Sloane will give us a program of "MAGIC". Don't Miss This Meeting.?

LADIES NIGHT.



President Sloane has declared this March 7th meeting as Ladies Night. Bring your wives or sweethearts, they may be able to learn some "Magic" whereby they will be able to acquire some of those "Rare" coins for a new dress.

NUMISMATIC MAXIMS FOR BEGINNERS.

AND OTHERS.

(Numismatist June 1931).

4. "Don't plunge in too quickly at the start and think that you must buy every coin offered. (A common mistake)."
5. Don't try to collect everything; you will never catch up with your contract. Also, you will not enjoy what you have.
6. You have got to learn by experience; a few jolts and knocks will impress you more than all the advice an older collector can give you.

TUESDAY

NOTICE.

the 21st.

The second March Meeting will be held on March 21st at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences at 8 P. M.

PROGRAM.

For sometime now Mr. Amberg has promised us a paper relating to the origin of "Dominion" on Canadian coins.

We will hear from Mr. Amberg at this meeting.

Exhibits of Canadian Coins will be in order at this meeting.

Charles W. Foster Secretary.

Mr. Freeman: An uncut sheet of sixteen bills of Pennsylvania, July 20, 1775, signed.

Mr. Spencer: Eight Roman bronzes and silver coins.

Mr. Sheridan: Thirteen Massachusetts Bay Tercentenary medals.

Mr. Molnar: 1814 one-shilling and 1819 five-shilling cardboard tokens of the Isle of Man, payable to the bearer on demand at the Brewery Office of Douglas, in gold bank notes. These pieces are considered quite scarce and probably are unique. A 50c. second issue of fractional currency on split paper with autographed signatures. A \$1 emergency scrip of the East Cleveland Exchange Club; a \$2 1865 bank note of the National Shoe and Leather Bank, City of New York; 1796 Swiss ecu and a 1786 French louis d'or. 25c. Tenino (Wash.) wooden money, and \$5 and \$10 Confederate bills, Sept. 2, 1861, in uncirculated condition.

ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION—March 21, 484th meeting, President Sloane in the chair. The following members were present: Messrs. Lange, Plumb, Dr. Peake, Kaufman, Horner, Amberg, Harzinski, Dr. J. Lindboe, Sloane, Babin, Parker, Sunday, G. J. Bauer, Kolb, Johanson, Foster and Mrs. Hart.

A communication from the Buffalo Numismatic Association was read, explaining their plans for their annual meeting and inviting the R. N. A. The secretary was asked to write for more definite details as to the time it was to be held. About ten members thought they would be hard to attend.

Mr. Amberg gave a brief talk on the Canadian coins of the French regime, 1670 to 1758, and exhibited, with explanations, all of the following coins: B-502, 5 sols, silver, 1670, broken die on reverse, extremely fine; B-506, 9 deniers, copper, H mint, struck at Rochelle, 1721, fine; B-506, similar type, H mint, 1721, reverse broken die, fine; B-506, similar type, H mint, 1722, extremely fine; B-507, similar type, struck at Rouen, B mint, 1721, very good; B-508, struck in billon, called the marque, which was current for 24 deniers and later reduced to 18 deniers, 8 specimens, various mint marks of the following dates: 1740, 1741, 1742, 1746, uncirculated; 1754, dash under 5; 1755, 1758, 1762, "Av" of "Nav" connected by break in die, uncirculated; B-509, current for 12 deniers, later reduced to 9 deniers, 1739, extremely fine; B-509, similar type, 1740, uncirculated; B-510, copper, 1751, fine; B-514, struck in silver, 1754, uncirculated; B-514, similar, struck in silver, bust variety, uncirculated; B-515, copper, date 1755, extremely fine. Mr. Amberg explained in his talk that numbers 510 to 514 and 515 were struck for and relate to the colonization of the French Colonies in Canada. A vote of thanks was extended to Mr. Amberg.

After this interesting talk the meeting was turned over to the auctioneer, who sold quite a few coins to the same spirited bidding as we had at the previous meeting.

ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION April 4th, 485th meeting, President Sloane presiding. The following members were present: Messrs. Harzinski, Lange, Kaufman, Plumb, Horner, Lindboe, Babin, Sunday, Sloane, Johanson, Amberg, Dr. Peake, G. J. Bauer, Parker, Kolb, Grover and Foster, and Mrs. Hart.

A communication was read from Mr. Stoaks, secretary of the Buffalo club, regarding their annual meeting to be held April 8, at the Buffalo Historical Society. It appeared that there would be approximately fifteen going.

Mr. Bauer reported on his recent trip to Cleveland with Mr. Sunday. Messrs. Bauer and Sunday told of the high lights of the Fisher sale which they attended.

Mr. Bauer exhibited a large piece of Bryan money listed as Zerbe 126, and read its origin and history from the Bryan Money number of The Numismatist. Mr. Bauer discovered this piece in a junk shop on his trip to Cleveland.

Mr. Foster read a brief paper on "Die Varieties of the United States Twenty-Cent Pieces" and exhibited six different varieties of the 1875 San Francisco mint and two varieties of the Carson City mint.

Mr. Foster also exhibited a complete set of the three Pedley-Ryan "Buy-an-Ounce-of-Silver" tokens and the four varieties of the Colorado "Century of Progress" tokens.

The meeting was then turned over to the auctioneer, who managed to bring out some lively bids.

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APRIL

NOTICE. MEETING!

The next regular meeting of the Association will be held at the Rochester Museum of Arts & Sciences, Tuesday ~~Maril~~ 4th, at 8 P. M.

The Program. 4th

The Secretary will give a brief paper on the Die Varieties of the United States Twenty Cent Pieces.

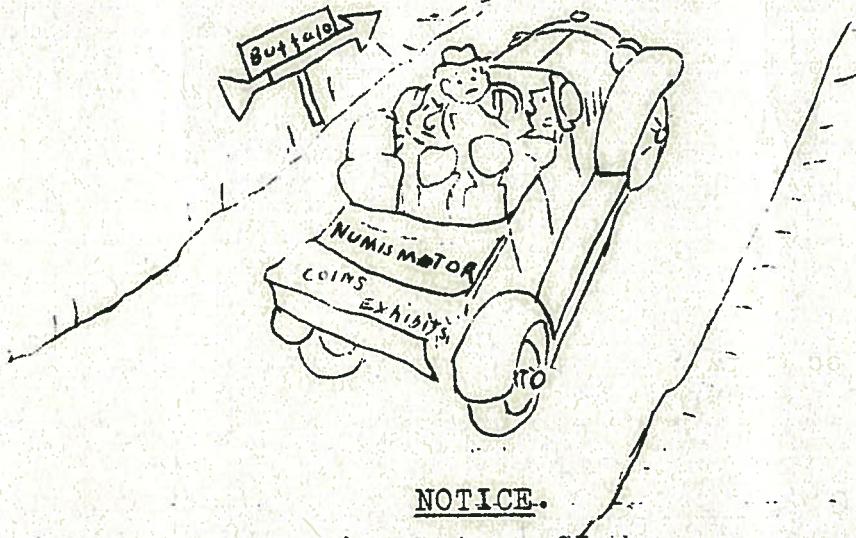
BRING SOMETHING FOR THE AUCTION,
ANYTHING!

The BUFFALO MEETING APRIL 8..

8th

At the Buffalo Museum of Science on Elmwood Ave., celebrated James Collection on display, Luncheon etc.

Are you going? Be sure to let us know at our April 4th meeting. Plans for transportation Etc., will be discussed then.



NOTICE.

The second meeting in April will be held on the 18th at the Rochester Museum of Arts & Sciences.

The Program. 18th

Will someone have a paper for this meeting? Or an exhibit?

Or some other program?

Important.

Meetings are held the first and third Tuesday of each month, so if you have misplaced your notice and are in doubt, consult your calendar.

Charles W. Foster Secretary.

stone and Dr. R. Renz. Visitors, C. Betron and Jos. J. Kaller. Meeting was called to order by President Hubel.

Report from the publicity committee was made to the effect that our ten walnut exhibition cases would be ready for the annual exhibit, April 1 and 2. Discussion was held relative to the lighting system we would use for our annual exhibition, and it was decided upon to have a drop light made for each case.

Dr. R. H. Renz, a member of the A. N. A., was admitted to membership of the Detroit Coin Club.

DETROIT COIN CLUB—April 6, 213th meeting. Members present: Messrs. Renz, Noyes, Hoare, Dodd, Curto, Bott, A. C. Hutchinson, M. B. Hutchinson, Hubel, Needles, Fulton, J. Camp, Dworkowski, Brusley, Stehfest and Dively. Meeting was called to order by the president. Mr. Robert Niels C. Ortved, an honorary member of our club, died at his home in Windsor, April 5.

A communication was read from the Scott Stamp and Coin Company relative to their sending the Detroit Coin Club their new book on paper money of the United States.

Exhibits were as follows:

Dr. R. Renz; Panama-Pacific, 1915, \$50 gold, octagonal and round; Stella, 1879, \$4 gold; 1873, \$3 gold, proof (25 in existence); Oregon Trail half dollar, 1928, uncirculated; U. S. silver dollar of 1836; U. S. quarter dollar of 1796.

Mr. Hubel: Two Washington medals of 1932, bronze, uncirculated.

Mr. Bott: Four second bronze coins of the Roman Empire, Marcus Aurelius, young head of Commodus, head of Faustina and head of Otavilla. Mr. Camp: Michigan broken bank bills; Bank of Kensington, \$1; Farmers Bank of Sandstone at Barry, \$1; Bank of Auburn, at Auburn, \$1.50 (not listed).

Mr. Hoare: Gold, Portugal, 1771, 5 ducats, uncirculated; Victoria, 1887, five pounds, Jubilee, proof; United States, 1801, \$10, uncirculated.

Mr. Bradlin: 10 kopeks, Russian plate money in bronze, about 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches square; 5 kopeks, 1802 and 1807; broad thaler of Leopold of Austria, 1693; Russian ruble of 1751, Empress Elizabeth.

DETROIT COIN CLUB—May 11, 214th meeting. Members present: Messrs. Watson, Needles, Brusley, Noyes, Rapp, Dworkowski, Curto, Dodd, Hanna, Hubel, Stehfest, Fulton, F. Bott, C. Tempel and Bradlin. Visitors present, Jos. J. Kaller and H. Baker. Meeting was called to order by President Hubel.

Mr. Z. Dworkowski read a very interesting paper on the coins of Poland, and used 300 copper, gold, and silver coins to illustrate his talk.

Exhibits were as follows:

Mr. Rapp: Complete set of four pieces "Colorado Century of Progress" silver medals; complete set of three pieces, Pedley-Ryan & Company, solid silver slugs.

Mr. Hubel: Two plaques, model of the Michigan medal to be struck in bronze, and also in Dow metal to size 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ inches to be issued in the States Building at the Century of Progress Exposition, Chicago, 1933.

ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION—May 2, 487th meeting of the Rochester Numismatic Association, President Sloane in the chair. The following members were present: Messrs. Harzinski, Johanson, Lange, Dr. Peake, Horner, Grover, Amberg, Plumb, G. J. Lindhoe, Sunday, Sloane, Lies, Gillette, G. J. Bauer, Becker, Kohl, Foster and Mrs. Hart. The secretary read a communication from the Scott Stamp & Coin Co., informing us of Wayte Raymond's donation to our library of a copy of his booklet, "United States Notes." Mr. Raymond was given a vote of thanks. A communication was read from Franklyn J. Herrick, of Hornell, informing us that a new club had been formed there. The new club is a combination of stamp and coin collectors and Mr. Herrick asked for suggestions to keep up and stimulate new coin collectors.

Mr. Sunday gave a very fine report on the exhibit of coins and stamps at the Rochester Progress Exposition, from which it appeared that the public was very much interested in coins and many questions were answered. Mr. Sunday reported that Mr. Babin was ill and could not attend the meeting. The meeting was then turned over to the auctioneer, who let a few bar-gains get out. One of the features of the auction was several lots of uncirculated cents of recent date from the different mints.

ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION—April 18, 486th meeting, President Sloane in the chair. The following were present: Messrs. Lange, Plumb, G. J. Lindhoe, Harzinski, Horner, Dr. Peake, Sloane, Lies, Babin, Amberg, Sunday, Parker, G. J. Bauer, Gillette, Kolb, Mrs. Hart and Foster. Mr. Charmerz, of the Genesee Valley Stamp Society, spoke on the exhibit of coins and stamps to be held at the coming Progress Exposition and invited the R. N. A. to put on a display of coins. After some discussion it was decided to let the R. N. A. collection remain intact in the museum and let individual members make exhibits at the exposition.

President Sloane appointed the following committees to handle the exhibits and the judging for the awards the Democrat and Chronicle are to make for the best exhibits in the several classes of U. S., paper money and foreign:

Exhibit Committee: Messrs. Sunday, Horner, Amberg, Babin and Lange. Judges: Messrs. George J. Bauer, Gillette and Plumb.

The meeting was then turned over to the auctioneer, who sold several lots belonging to "poor widows." One group contained an excellent specimen of the 1852 California round half dollar and several other gold coins of the United States in an excellent state of preservation.

PITTSBURGH COIN CLUB—April 13. Present: Messrs. Hunt, Gibbs, H. Gibbs, Jr., Reinhart, Kyle, Buterbaugh, Elben, Pringle, Sallach, Eastwood, Dunnigan, McIlrath, Keitzer, Kerr, Drew and Barker. The following were present as visitors: Messrs. J. Hunt, Jr., S. F. Laughlin, I. F. Frank, A. D. Barshaar, and C. H. Kays. Mr. Hunt presided.

Literature on display included The Numismatist, current list of the Scott Stamp & Coin Co., and catalogues of D. Holmberg, Sweden.

A communication was read from the Scott Stamp & Coin Co. advising us of the gift of a new publication on paper money.

The following exhibits were shown:

Mr. Kerr: China, several large coins and temple medals, including two wooden pieces.

Mr. Gibbs: U. S. cents, 1793-94-95-96-97-98-99, 1802-03-05-06-07-08-09-10-11-12, all in beautiful condition.

Mr. Pringle: England, copper coins, farthings, William and Mary, George III. 1791; sixpence, Elizabeth, 1573; halfpenny, William and Mary, and Victoria.

H. Gibbs, Jr.: Colonial currency of Rhode Island; \$100 Confederate bond; sheet of \$1 notes of the Bank of Augusta, Ga.

Mr. McIlrath: Great Britain: Crowns of William III and Victoria; George III. 1791; sixpence, Elizabeth, 1573; halfpenny token, 1694; Coventry, halfpenny token.

Mr. Sallach: U. S. half dollars, 1801, 1802, 1803, and 1815.

Mr. Hunt: Silver medals of Mexico and Russia.

Mr. Eastwood: Minor coins of Denmark, Finland, Norway and Sweden.

Mr. Elben: U. S. half dollars, 1809-10-11-23-27-29-30-34-54.

Mr. Barker: English silver tokens of Yorkshire and Lancashire; Roman denarius of Hadrian.

PITTSBURGH COIN CLUB—May 11. Present: Messrs. Hunt, Kerr, Buterbaugh, Elben, Eastwood, McIlrath, Kelzer, H. D. Gibbs, H. Gibbs, Jr., and Barker. The following were present as visitors: J. F. Frank, W. Bevan and Franklin Hunt. Mr. Hunt, the president, in the chair.

A letter was read from T. J. Clarke announcing that a meeting will be held in Jamestown, N. Y., on June 17 and 18.

Mr. Hunt read a paper on early American copper coinage.

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May Meetings!

The next regular meeting of the Association will be held at the Rochester Museum of Arts & Sciences, Tuesday May 2nd, at 8 P. M.

May PROGRAM 2nd

Reports of the Progress Exposition Exhibits.

Numismatic THE AUCTION. Lecture!

BRING SOMETHING FOR THE AUCTION, ANYTHING that is a duplicate, or that you are tired of, or that you want to get rid of. Place it in the auction and sell it for what it will bring. DON'T PROTECT IT. If it has to be protected don't put it in the auction, it only wastes your time and the auctioneer's.

Then BUY SOMETHING of the other fellows, it need not amount to more than that which you are selling. If someone gets a bargain on your items, you will get a bargain on theirs. In other words trade bargains and forget how much you lost on a particular coin you will make it up on the one you buy.

Come to the auction with the plan to GIVE A BARGAIN and and you WILL GET ONE in exchange.

The Auction is our chief entertainment, let's keep it so. Some members are always giving the bargains and others are always taking them. Let's play it both ways GIVE A BARGAIN and GET A BARGAIN. You will find that the auction will improve and that it will be a lot more fun.

May NOTICE 16th

The second meeting in may will be held on the 16th at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences.

PROGRAM.

Plans to be made for the first 1933 Outing.



Charles W. Foster Secy.

the historical and commemorative coins of the Roman Republic, B. C., which he read at this meeting. He illustrated his talk with the following gold and silver coins. A vote of thanks was given to Mr. Hubel for his kindness in writing this interesting paper:

Roman Republ.—Aurei of Hirtia (two types) and Munatia; denarii of Vibia, Nasidia, Antonia, Aemilia, Cornelia and Julia.

After a very enjoyable buffet luncheon, the meeting adjourned.

DETROIT COIN CLUB—June 1, 217th meeting. Members present: Messrs. Huber, Temple, Dr. Renz, Hoare, Fulton, Noyes, Rapp, Livingstone, Dworkowski, Kaller, Stehfest and Dodd. Meeting was called to order by President Huber.

Mr. Temple, who has had several of his coins on display at the Detroit Historical Society in the club's cabinet, requested the use of his coins at this time. Motion was made to have the secretary work with him in getting another exhibition placed in the cabinet.

Meeting adjourned at 9:15 P. M., at which time Dr. Renz, Mr. Rapp, and Mr. Hoare had some very fine exhibits laid out.

Exhibits were as follows:

Dr. Renz: United States Trade dollar, 1873, (Pattern proof, A.-W. 1330); \$50 gold, Augustus Humbert, 1851, 300 fine; \$5 Carolina gold, C. Bechtler at Rutherford, (134 G * 21C); original pewter Continental dollar, one "R" in currency, die break, rare type; \$50 gold, Augustus Humbert, 1851, 887 fine; \$20 gold, St. Gaudens, wire edge, Roman numerals; \$20 gold, United States Assay Office; Castorland half dollar, 1796, silver proof; \$10 Pike's Peak gold, 1860; silver dollar, 1878, Morgan, proof, A.-W. 1559; Trade dollar, 1873, pattern proof, A.-W. 1308; medal, United States, Lexington Centennial, 1875.

Mr. Hoare: Silver set of George V 1927, uncirculated, brilliant, signed by Chittenden and Spinner, uncirculated.

NORTHAMPTON NUMISMATIC SOCIETY—May 24. The society met at the rooms of the Northampton Club. Members present were Messrs. Hill, Bigelow, Paul-hus, Miller, Parsons, Roberts, Kohler, Morse and Drowne. Visitors, Fred G. Howard, of Hatfield, Mass.; Christopher Slocombe, of Cabot Trust Co., Chicopee, Mass.

Mr. Pond's talk on old and rare money was instructive and interesting, as was his exhibit of old and rare paper money dating back about one hundred years and now mostly obsolete. A vote of thanks was extended to him by the society and he was also elected a member.

PACIFIC COAST NUMISMATIC SOCIETY—213th meeting, May 31, called to order by President Wernstrom. The following members were present: Messrs. Roy Hill, Wernstrom, Hicks, Kraft, Wyman, Thomson, Knalenschuh, DeSeims, H. L. Hill, Hansen, Webb and Goodman.

Letters from the following were read and ordered filed: W. H. Woodin, Secretary of the Treasury; T. James Clarke, Farran Zerbe, Kenneth W. Lee and Nelson T. Thorson.

The secretary reported the death of our member, Ellis Bloch, and on motion was ordered to write the widow our condolences.

The program committee submitted its report for the annual dinner. A rising vote of thanks was accorded to President Wernstrom and the program committee for their fine work in connection with the dinner.

President Wernstrom reported for the October convention, stating that the committee was now made up as follows: E. R. Wernstrom, chairman; Harvey L. Hansen, vice-chairman; Roy Hill, secretary; A. C. Wyman, A. R. Thomson, W. Kraft, W. E. Hicks. The first meeting of the committee had been held and the convention would be known as the "Far Western Numismatic Convention," to be held October 13th to 15th inclusive, and that further plans with regard to exhibits and general program would be worked out by the committee and reported at the various meetings. All members were urged to give their assistance in furthering this event.

Charles L. Parrish and Bert D. Janes were elected to membership in the

society. Mr. Parrish as an active member and Mr. Janes as an associate member.

Mr. Wyman spoke on recent acquisitions of some fine Roman gold pieces. Mr. Thomson exhibited a fine selection of recent purchases of silver pieces. President Wernstrom exhibited emergency money as follows: 25 cents, J. V. Curtiss, Bristol, Nev.; barter and trade certificates, Unemployed Relief Club, Waterloo, Iowa; 20-cent token, Dow Chemical Company; \$1 note, General Fireproofing Co., Youngstown, Ohio; Eirma, \$1 note; Heppner, Ore., sheepskin script.

The program for the evening consisted of a talk by Harvey L. Hansen on "Recent U. S. Decorations and Medals," taking in especially those issued for the Army, Navy and Marine Corps since 1919.

Mr. Webb had kindly brought along an exhibit of various U. S. and State medals, as well as medals of veterans' organizations.

ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION—May 16, 488th meeting. President Sloane in the chair. The following members were present: Messrs. Kaufman, Lange, Horner, G. J. Lindhoe, Moore, Amberg, Parker, Plum, Gillette, Kolb, Harzinski, Liess, Sunday, Sloane, Babin, G. J. Bauer, Dr. Peake, Becker and Foster. Judge Knight, a member of the Buffalo club, was present as a visitor.

Plans for the first outing of the year were discussed and it was decided to hold it at Point Peake, Saturday, June 10th.

Mr. Bauer reported the death of our member, Bert Brownell, and the secretary was instructed to write Mrs. Brownell of our sympathy.

Dr. Parker told of the meeting to be held on May 19th by the Museum Association, in which plans were to be made for 1934. Dr. Parker invited the members to attend this meeting.

Treasurer Kolb announced that he and his wife would leave early in June for a trip to Germany, and asked the president to appoint a new treasurer for the time he would be gone.

President Sloane called on Judge Knight for a few words. The Judge spoke of early days in Rochester, having graduated from the University of Rochester. He also said he was new at collecting coins, but had accumulated odd coins for years without giving them any serious thought.

The meeting was then turned over to the auctioneer.

ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION—June 6, 489th meeting. President Sloane in the chair. The following members were present: Messrs. Amberg, Dr. Peake, Horner, Lange, Lindhoe, Plum, Sloane, Liess, Woodbury, G. J. Bauer, Harzinski, Ross, Parker, Babin, Mrs. Hart and Foster. President Sloane appointed Dr. Peake to serve as treasurer during the absence of Mr. Kolb.

Plans were discussed for attending the Tri-State Convention at Jamestown.

It appeared that there would be about five going. Mr. Lindhoe spoke regarding a plan to have a little time set aside at each meeting for a question period. A motion was made and carried that fifteen minutes of each meeting be devoted to answering questions, the questions to be set forth by the members desiring the information.

The meeting was then turned over to the auctioneer, who conducted a spirited sale.

BOSTON NUMISMATIC SOCIETY—May 22. The society met and dined at the Boston City Club. In the absence of President Wardner, Vice-President Davis presided. Others present were Messrs. Blaney, Storer, Barney, Hamilton, Prior, Wheeler, Stafford, F. O. Brown, Tilden, Nichols and Pond. A favorable report having been received from the committee on membership, Ralph W. Howard, of Fitchburg, Mass., was elected to membership in the society.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned and the rest of the evening was devoted to a general discussion of numismatics and to examining the various exhibits.

Exhibits were as follows:

Mr. Davis: Rare pewter medal, obverse, "Abraham Lincoln" with bust facing right; reverse, "Presented by Citizens of Perth Amboy, N. J., to Thomas Peterson, the first colored voter in the U. S. Under the Provisions

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JUNE NOTICE. 6th

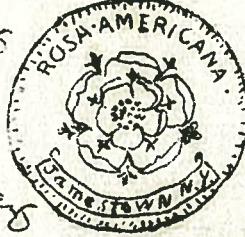
The next regular meeting of the Association will be held at the Rochester Museum of Arts & Sciences, Tuesday June 6th, at 2 P. M.

PROGRAM.

Discussion of ways and means to attend the Jamestown Tri-State Convention. Auction as usual.

JUNE OUTING. 10th

The first Outing of the year will be held at Point Peake on Saturday afternoon, June 10. We will leave the Genesee Motor, corner of St. Paul & Franklin Sts. at 1:30 P. M. Please be on time.



Coin Bugs from Here, and Everywhere, coin Bugs.

JUNE TRI-STATE COIN AND STAMP CONVENTION. 16th & 17th

The Fourth Annual Tri-State Coin and Stamp Meeting will be held by the Chautauqua Coin, Stamp & Curio Club at Jamestown, N. Y., June 16 - 17, at the Hotel Jamestown. Wonderful Exhibits, Auction Sales; Coins Friday Night at 7 P. M., and Stamps Saturday afternoon at 1 P. M. and a big Banquet Saturday Night. Don't miss it. Those who have been there before will certainly want to go again. It is an event that serious collectors can not afford to miss.

Material for coin Auction must be listed by typewriter in lots from 1 to 25, and lists mailed to T. James Clarke, 38 Charles St., Jamestown, N. Y. before June 3rd. Material may go with you. If you have material for this Auction mail you list immediately when you receive this notice.

SOUTH JUNE NOTICE. 20th

The second meeting of the R. N. A. this month will be held at the Rochester Museum of Arts & Sciences on June 20th.

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At the last meeting we learned that our Treasurer Mr. Kolb and his wife would leave in early June for a trip to Germany. We all wish them "Bon Voyage".

stamps. Try and get the attendants to make you a souvenir \$1,000,000 bill and you will be well off.

Authority has been given for the Bureau at this exhibit to print sheets of 25 stamps of both the one-cent green and the three-cent purple denominations and to have the inscription around the border "Printed by the Bureau of Engraving and Printing, by authority of James A. Farley, Postmaster-General, at the Century of Progress Exposition, as a compliment to the American Philatelic Society, Chicago, August 1933." The Philatelic Society is meeting in the Exposition city from August 21 to August 26, at which time the stamps will be on sale.

In the Georgia State exhibit, located in the Court of States group, one may see an exhibit of the first gold mined in America, at Dahlonega, Ga., in 1838. On exhibit are gold nuggets, gold quartz and examples of \$1, \$2.50 and \$5 gold, mined and minted at Dahlonega; medals of the State Geological Survey, as well as fine display cases of rocks, fossils, game, pecans, etc. Here one may purchase any number of the Stone Mountain half dollars up to about two million at \$1 apiece.

At the California Building, in the Court of States group, one may see the redwood empire and exhibits of minerals, including gold ore and nuggets; a model gold-mining plant in miniature; a miniature relief map of San Francisco, Hollywood, waterfalls and submarine gardens.

Last of all, we suggest a visit to the Art Institute, at the head of Adams Street, on Michigan Avenue. In addition to its wonderful exhibit of sculpture, paintings and rare art objects and relics, one will find a fine collection of coins presented to the Institute by an A. N. A. member, Mr. Dunham, of Chicago.

WILL YOU HAVE AN EXHIBIT AT THE CHICAGO CONVENTION?

Those who have attended A. N. A. conventions know that the exhibits are the outstanding feature of these yearly gatherings. The display at the coming Chicago convention is expected to be as interesting as any in the past. The Century of Progress Exposition will draw visitors to Chicago from all over the United States, and the occasion will be a splendid opportunity for real numismatic missionary work. It is expected that sufficient cases will be provided to take care of all exhibits, but Mr. Cederlund, of the Chicago Coin Club, requests that all contemplating making an exhibit will promptly get in touch with him so that he may reserve space for them. His address is R. Cederlund, 548 Provident Avenue, Winnetka, Ill.

CHICAGO CONVENTION PAPERS WANTED—CALL FOR VOLUNTEERS.

All A. N. A. members of literary distinction and ambition are urgently requested to help along the success of the Chicago convention by furnishing papers on numismatic topics, to be read there, so that from the point of view of achievement along the lines of numismatic literature the Chicago convention will prove as great a success as it will undoubtedly be from the social point of view.

For its successful work the committee appeals to all A. N. A. members with a facile pen. Send in your papers, or at least write the committee that you are preparing one for the convention.

As the time until the convention is very short, please communicate promptly with the chairman of the committee. Moritz Wormser, 95 Fifth avenue, New York City.

Meetings of Numismatic Societies and Clubs

DIRECTORY

American Numismatic Association—Meets annually in convention. Harry T. Wilson, Secretary, 535 N. Sawyer Avenue, Chicago, Ill.
American Numismatic Society, New York City—Meets four times annually at its building, Broadway at 15th Street, Sydney P. Nor, Secretary.
Antiquarian and Numismatic Society of Montreal—Meets monthly at Chateau de Ramezay. Dr. A. H. MacCordick, Corresponding Secretary.

Atlanta Coin Club, Atlanta, Ga.—Meets first and third Tuesdays in the Green Room of Hotel Grady, Atlanta. W. J. Warner, Secretary, 794 Ponce de Leon Ave., N.E., Atlanta, Ga.

Beaver Valley Coin Club, Beaver Valley, Pa.—Meets fourth Friday each month at Grand Hotel, corner Eleventh street and Eighth avenue, Beaver Falls. Sherman L. Roney, Secretary and Treasurer, 2512 Seventh avenue, Beaver Falls. Boston Numismatic Society, Boston, Mass.—Meets monthly. Shepard Fond, Secretary, 288 Boylston Street, Boston. Mass.

Brooklyn Coin Club—Meets second Wednesday of each month. Ernest Kraus, Secretary, 86 Bay 29th Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.—Meets second and fourth Mondays at Central Y. M. C. A., Charles E. Soaks, Secretary, 253 Spaulding St., North Tonawanda, N. Y.

California Coin Club, Los Angeles, Cal.—Meets first Tuesday evening of each month. Kenneth W. Lee, Secretary, 623 Security Bldg., Glendale, Cal. **Chautauqua Coin Club**, Stamp and Curio Club, Jamestown, N. Y.—Meets second and fourth Wednesday evenings of each month at Hotel Jamestown. C. B. Sampson, Secretary, R. F. D. 1, Jamestown, N. Y.

Chicago Coin Club, Chicago, Ill.—Meets first Wednesday of each month at the Atlantic Hotel, R. E. Davis, Secretary, 108 E. 69th St., Chicago, Ill. **Cincinnati Numismatic Association**—Meets second and fourth Tuesdays of each month at 8 o'clock P. M., Starrett's Netherland Plaza Hotel, S. E. Cor. Fifth and Race Streets, Chas. J. Thiel, Secretary, 2631 Hemlock St., Cincinnati, Ohio. **Columbus Numismatic Society**, Columbus, Ohio—Meets second Monday evening of each month at the Neil House. Elmer C. Henderson, Secretary, 661 S. Harris Ave., Columbus, Ohio. **Dallas Coin Club**, Dallas, Texas—Meets third Thursday night of each month. W. F. Schultz, Secretary, 1123 Oak Cliff Blvd., Dallas, Texas. **Detroit Coin Club**, Detroit, Mich.—Meets first and third Thursdays in the Detroit News conference room, Lafayette and Second Blvd. Russell Stehfest, Secretary, 4366 Newport Ave., Detroit, Mich. **New York Numismatic Club**, New York City—Meets second Friday of each month. F. C. C. Boyd, Secretary, 227 East 20th St., New York City. **Northampton Numismatic Society**, Northampton, Mass.—Meets fourth Wednesday of each month at Y. M. C. A. Building. Elizer J. Paulhus, Secretary, Northampton, Mass.

Pacific Coast Numismatic Society, San Francisco, Cal.—Meets last Wednesday of each month. Harvey L. Hansen, Secretary, 123 Greenbank Ave., Piedmont, Calif. **Pittsburgh Coin Club**, Pittsburgh, Pa.—Meets second Thursday at Room 201, Downtown Y. M. C. A. Building, Third Ave. and Wood St. A. M. Barker, Secretary-Treasurer, 150 Morewood Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. **Rochester Numismatic Association**, Rochester, N. Y.—Meets first and third Tuesday at Municipal Museum, Charles W. Foster, Secretary, 24 Astor Drive, Brighton Station, Rochester, N. Y. **St. Louis Numismatic Society**, St. Louis, Mo.—Meets monthly at Washington University. T. E. Duncan, Secretary, Washington University, St. Louis, Mo. **Springfield Coin Club**, Springfield, Mass.—Meets second Wednesday of each month. E. J. Bigelow, Secretary, 396 Bridge St., Northampton, Mass. **The Numismatic and Antiquarian Society of Philadelphia**, Philadelphia, Pa.—Meets six times a year, January, February, March, April, November and December. Ernest Sopoff, Secretary, 1300 Locust Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

Syracuse Numismatic Association, Syracuse, N. Y.—Meets second and fourth Tuesdays of each month at the Onondaga Hotel. Meyer H. Lewis, Secretary, 145 Cumberland Ave., Syracuse, N. Y. **Washington Numismatic Society**, Washington, D. C.—Meets second Tuesday of each month at Strong John Thomson School, Twelfth and L Sts., N. W. Frederic E. Hodge, Corresponding and Recording Secretary, 136 Bryant St., N. W., Washington, D. C. **Western Pennsylvania Numismatic Society**—Meets the first Tuesday of every month at the Carnegie Institute of Pittsburgh, A. C. Gies, Secretary, 6260 Frankstown Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa. **Western Reserve Numismatic Club**, Cleveland, Ohio—Meets second Wednesday of each month at the Allerton Hotel, Harley L. Freeman, Secretary, 1422 East 4th St., Cleveland, Ohio. **Youngstown Numismatic Club**, Youngstown, Ohio—Meets second Friday of each month at the Home Saving Loan Co., basement, corner Federal and Chestnut Streets. Frank W. Schilling, Secretary, 1627 Glenwood Ave., Youngstown, Ohio.

ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION—490th meeting, June 26, Vice-President Foster in the chair. The following members were present: Messrs. Horner, Dr. Peake, Amburg, Lause, G. J. Lindhoe, Plumb, Moore, Babin, G. J. Bauer, Sunday, Sloane and Foster. Judge Knight, of Buffalo; Mrs. Sunday and Miss Huss were present as visitors.

A communication was read from Franklin J. Herrick regarding the postponement of a joint meeting with the Hornell Club until fall. Messrs. Bauer, Horner, Amburg, Plumb and Foster all reported on the Tri-State Convention held at Jamestown on the 16th and 17th of June. Plans were made for the July outing. It was decided to hold it jointly with the July 4 meeting at Point Peake on July 5. Mr. Bauer was appointed chairman of the refreshments committee.

The question period was devoted to several subjects, ranging from ancient standards to the striking of proof coins by the Government and commemorative issues;

The auction contained a miscellaneous variety, including some minor proof coins of the U. S., small South American silver and transportation tokens.

ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION—491st meeting, July 8, held jointly with an outing at Point Peake. The following members were present: Messrs. Woodbury, Horner, Dr. Peake, Sloane, Ambers, Plumb, Babin, Harringx, Liess, Sunday, Johnson, G. J. Bauer, Gillette, Lange and Foster. The following were present as visitors: Mrs. Hart, J. D. Christman, J. B. Gilman and Franklin Sloane.

After an afternoon of horseshoe pitching and card playing the members sat down to a fine repast prepared by our new chef, Mr. Bauer and his assistants.

A short business meeting followed, during which a card was read from Alphonse A. Kolb, who is enjoying a vacation in Germany. The secretary announced that all A. N. A. members who were planning an exhibit at the convention should write to Mr. Cederlund and ask that he reserve space for it.

The secretary also showed a copy of Wyllie's "Orders, Decorations and Insignia," which had been purchased for the A. N. A. Library. A motion was made and carried that the secretary be authorized to purchase a copy of this book for the R. N. A. Library.

WESTERN RESERVE NUMISMATIC CLUB—148th meeting, June 14th, President Budde in the chair, with 25 members and 10 guests present.

The entertainment committee then provided a list of 16 questions pertaining to the current U. S. dime. The power of observation of our various members was considerably below par.

Exhibits were as follows:

Mr. Gibbs: Counterstamped and cut coins of the West Indies.

Mr. Mitzman: An uncirculated mohur of Hindustan.

Mr. Gregor: U. S. gold dollars, two-and-a-half dollars, three dollars, and quarter dollars.

Mr. Freeman: Several national bank notes of Ohio banks.

The meeting was then turned over to the auctioneer and the very fine lot of material contributed by the various members from their duplicates was auctioned. The club treasury was benefitted to the extent of \$43.

WESTERN RESERVE NUMISMATIC CLUB—149th meeting, July 12th, President Budde in the chair, with 23 members and 5 guests present.

F. C. C. Boyd, secretary of the New York Numismatic Club, said a few words and extended greetings from his club.

The subject of the Club renewing its invitation to the American Numismatic Association to hold the 1934 convention in Cleveland was brought up for discussion and the members were overwhelmingly in favor of it. The secretary was instructed to proceed accordingly.

Inasmuch as the August meeting will be the 150th meeting of the club, the members agreed to turn out in force for dinner and everyone promised to make exhibits.

Exhibits were as follows:

Mr. Spencer: Imperial Roman denarii and second bronzes in very fine condition.

Mr. Gibbs, Jr.: Colonial paper money of Delaware, Pennsylvania, Maryland and New Jersey.

Mr. Gibbs, Sr.: Various specimens of wampum and boat money; from different parts of Africa he exhibited shell, bead, brass and copper ring money; a proof set of 1932 coins of Rhodesia; 50 reales of Spain, 1635; 5 talers of Brunswick, 1647; an English pound silver of 1642; Japanese gold.

Mr. Sikorski: A set of 1893 World's Fair tickets and a set from the 1933 Century of Progress; also Century of Progress medals and Fort Dearborn penny, and two bronze medals issued by the Italian Government; 1928 Oregon Trail half dollar.

Mr. Gregor: Twenty uncirculated Pearre dollars and a Louisiana medal of

DETROIT COIN CLUB—218th meeting, June 15. Members present: Messrs. Hoare, Curto, Temple, Snyder, Kaller, Dworkowski, Fulton, Dr. Renz, Needles, Dively, Stehfest and Hubel. Visitors present: Messrs. Deane, Brownlee, Hitchcock and Brown. Meeting was called to order by President Hubel.

E. Hoare gave a very interesting talk on English gold pieces.

Dr. Russell Renz offered to be host to the Detroit Coin Club members at their next regular meeting, to be held at the Detroit Social Turnverein, on East Jefferson avenue. Dr. Renz made a donation to the Detroit Coin Club of four pieces, namely: U. S. Trade dollar, 1880, proof; half dollar, 1817, fine; half dollar, 1795, fine; half dollar, 1853, arrows and rays, fine. A vote of thanks was given Dr. Renz for his donation.

Exhibits were as follows:

Dr. Renz: 1852 U. S. Assay Office (San Francisco) \$50 gold piece, octagonal, very fine; 16 encased postage stamps, 14 varieties; U. S. \$100, 1882 series, gold back, Benton, signed by G. Parker, John Burke, very fine; U. S. 1901 \$10, Lewis and Clark note, Speelman and White, uncirculated; U. S. 1862 State National Bank of El Paso, Texas, \$20, very fine; U. S. 1896 \$5, Tillman and Morgan, uncirculated; U. S. 1865 \$1, Tillman and Morgan, very fine; U. S. 1865 \$1, the National Bank of Malone, N. Y., very fine; U. S. \$5, Chittenden and Spinner, 1863; U. S. 1869 \$20, Treasury note, Allison and Spinner, uncirculated; U. S. 1891 \$1, Martha Washington, Rosecrans and Nebeker, U. S. 1896 \$2, silver certificate, Bruce and Roberts'; U. S. 1862 \$2, Chase, Chittenden and Spinner; four \$1 silver certificates, series of 1923, Woods and White.

Mr. Needles: Five French medals; one English money weight; 24 Roman first bronze coins from 29 B. C. to 249 A. D.

Mr. Betron: The 1933 Detroit News Spelling Bee medal, school champion ship, bronze, only four issued.

DETROIT COIN CLUB—219th meeting, July 6. Members present: Messrs. Dr. Renz, Noyes, Watson, Needles, Duff, Curto, Bott, Kaller, Kling, Temple, Stehfest, Hubel, Fratcher, Dworkowski, A. Hutchinson, Powell, Teller, Rapp, Hoare, Dodd, Fulton and Bradlin. Visitors present: Messrs. Betteron, Eggert, Kimbel and A. Mayfield. Meeting was called to order by President Hubel.

A lively auction sale of twenty-six lots of coins followed, at which time several fine U. S. \$1 gold pieces and old Roman coins were sold. Mr. Needles auctioned six fine Washington medals. Mr. A. Mayfield had ten lots in the auction and donated half the proceeds to the club.

As Dr. Russell Renz was host to the Detroit Coin Club members at this meeting, it was held at his club house, the Detroit Social Turnverein. The private dining room adjoining the main ballroom was set for his guests. Refreshments were in vogue throughout the meeting, and after the auction a wonderful supper was served. Dr. Renz donated a Philadelphia 1928 silver dollar, uncirculated, in a leather case for a door prize, and it was won by Mr. John Watson.

A rising vote of thanks was given Dr. Renz for the wonderful party he had given to the Detroit Coin Club members and guests. After the supper members enjoyed music by the Leo Schultz Dance Orchestra.

Exhibits were as follows:

Dr. Renz: U. S. \$20 gold piece of 1896, brilliant proof; Russian platinum piece of 1835, three rubles, uncirculated.

Mr. Hubel: One bronze and one Downton medal issued at State of Michigan exhibit at the Century of Progress Exposition, Chicago, 1933.

WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA NUMISMATIC SOCIETY—June 6, President Marler in the chair. The following members were present: Messrs. Marler, Gaede, Piper, Hunt, Woodside, Laughlin, McCune, Manning, Hall, Marks and Gies. A. M. Barker and William Bailey were visitors.

Mr. Hunt gave an interesting talk on the Jamestown convention and on the Talbot Allum & Lee New York Colonial coins.

A catalogue was received from Wayte Raymond on United States Notes, 1861-1923.

Exhibits were as follows:

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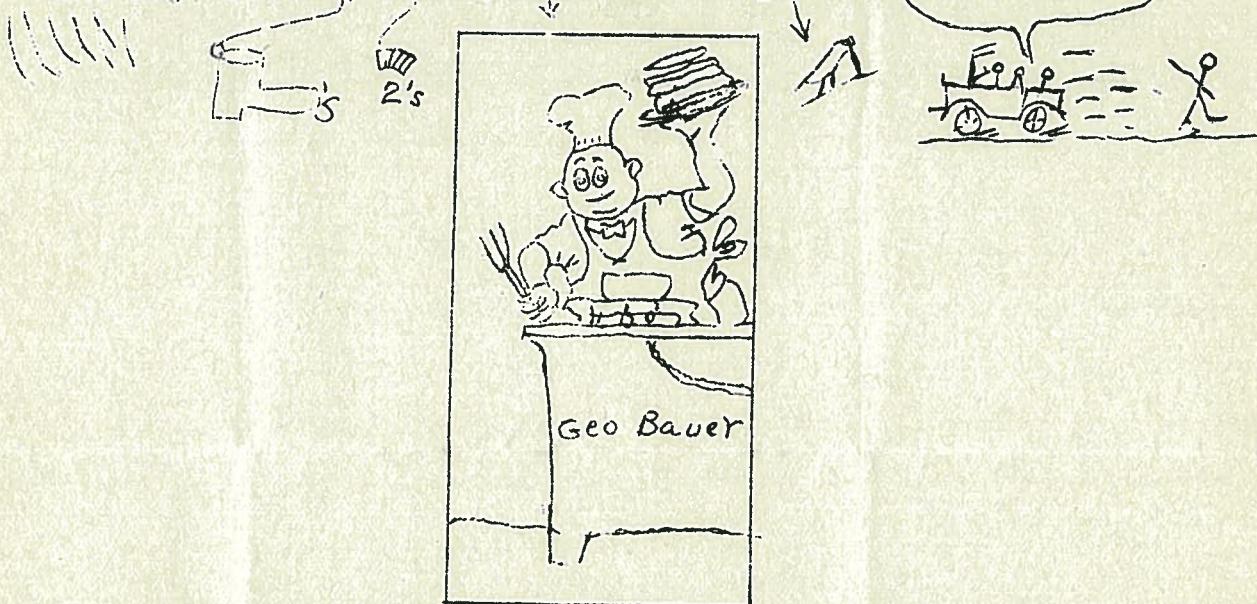
ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION NUMBER VII.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

The next meeting of the R. N. A. will be a JOINT MEETING and OUTING at Point Peake on July 8th.

We will meet at the Genesee Motor Co., corner of St. Paul and Franklin Sts, and leave at 1:30 P. M.

The main features of the outing will be: Cool breezes from the Bay. Horses, Cards, Eats and Mosquitos. DON'T MISS IT.



Exclusive view of the R. N. A'S.
new Chef in action.

NOTICE.

The second July meeting will be held at the Museum on July 18th at 8 P. M.

Don't forget to bring some questions to be answered in the Question Period.

T'is said " The collector who is satisfied with what he has and what he knows, ceases to be a collector."

WANTED

An artist to assist the Secretary with pictures on this sheet. Good hours and pay, apply to undersigned,

Charles W. Foster Secretary.

work of the society and the advance of numismatic studies in the past year.

The following office-bearers were elected for 1933-1934: President, Percy H. Webb, Esq., M.B.E.; vice-presidents, Mr. V. B. Crowther-Beynon, M.B.E., and Prof. Sir Charles Oman; treasurer, Mr. G. C. Haines; secretaries, Messrs. John Allam and Harold Mattingly; foreign secretary, Dr. George C. Brooke; librarian, Frederick A. Harrison, Esq.; members of the council, Lady Evans, Messrs. C. E. Blunt, Sidney H. Fairbairn, William Gilbert, A. H. Lloyd, R. C. Lockett, J. W. E. Pearce, E. S. G. Robinson, H. W. Tafts and H. Nelson Wright.

In the evening the Fellows of the society dined together at the Connaught Rooms. Mr. Salisbury proposed the prosperity of the Royal Numismatic Society and the president replied.

NEW YORK NUMISMATIC CLUB—295th regular meeting, July 14th, Howland Wood, President, presiding. The following members were present: Messrs. Barnet, Blake, Boyd Brown, Bullowa, Deas, Feeley, Guttag, Holzman, Kustler, Knobloch, Kraus, Macallister, Metzler, Morris, Sghia, Tait, Wood and Wormser. The secretary reported the deaths of our members, Ard. W. Browning and Dr. Martin Burke. A memoir; 1 page was set aside in the minutes regarding the death of the two members.

The secretary reported the marriage of Miss Margaret Katherine Putz to our member, William M. Feeley, the marriage occurring on July 1st. The topic for the evening was "Coins, Medals, Badges, etc." Issued During the Various Expositions Held in the United States Previous to the 1933 World's Fair."

Exhibits were as follows:

Howland Wood: Cartoonist medal in white glass; Panama-Pacific Exposition award; medal of the International Olympic Committee; Panama-Pacific calendar; St. Louis Exposition, with head of Napoleon, new variety. F. C. C. Boyd: Mr. Boyd exhibited seven uniface Columbus Exposition medals, hexagonal in shape, struck by Tiffany & Co., 1892, only three of each known. After the exhibit Mr. Boyd presented these medals to the American Numismatic Society's cabinet.

Ernest Kraus: Austria, 100 kronen, 1911, gold proof; Albania, 100 francs, 1926, one-star variety; Czechoslovakia, 25 heller, nickel, 1933; Jewish huck token, brass.

David M. Bullowa: Two wooden medals, 1869, National Peace convention; Mint Exhibit medal of 1893; Oregon Trail half dollar; 1824-1924, Battle of Ayacucho; 1933, medal of the Chicago Fair.

Vernon L. Brown: Twenty-five varieties of recent scrip or substitutes for money in the U. S.

Leonard Kustler: Coin holder, World's Fair, 1893; \$1 certificate, Phenix City, Ala., March 10, 1933.

O. T. Sghia: 4000 reis, Portugal; World's Fair token, 1892; Chicago Exposition token, 1874; Brooklyn Bridge token; N. Y. C. transportation token.

George H. Blake: Medals in a variety of metals commemorating various expositions: Crystal Palace, 1853; Centennial, 1876, including a set of wooden medals; New Orleans Cotton, 1884-85; Fan-American, 1901; St. Louis, 1904; many souvenir badges from the Centennial Exposition of 1876. Joseph Barnet: 6 Centennial medals; Nevada dollar; 12 Columbian Exposition medals; 2 Fan-American; 5 Louisiana Purchase; 2 Jamestown, Va.; 2 P. P. I. E.; 2 Sesqui.

Frederick S. Knobloch: Peale-Ryan, first, second and third issues; ancient lead medal reading, "Marius Rome," about 160 A. D. The membership committee reported the receipt of the application of David M. Bullowa, 10 West 86th Street, New York City, proposed by F. C. C. Boyd and seconded by Mr. Moritz Wormser. Mr. Bullowa has been invited guest for the past four years, and, having reached the age of 31, is eligible for membership. In view of Mr. Bullowa's attendance at the club meetings for the last four years, by vote of the club the order of rules was waived and Mr. Bullowa was elected by acclamation.

It was proposed by Moritz Wormser and seconded by F. C. C. Boyd that the club elect Mr. Gilbert S. Perez, of the Philippine Islands, an honorary corresponding member. Mr. Perez was elected by acclamation.

It was regularly moved, seconded and carried that the topic for the August meeting be the exhibition of "Patriotic Society Medals and Badges." Your secretary reported that on a recent visit to Cleveland he had the pleasure of visiting the Western Reserve Numismatic Club and found them a very enthusiastic society. The members of the Western Reserve Numismatic Club extended greetings and best wishes to the New York Numismatic Club.

NEW YORK NUMISMATIC CLUB—296th regular meeting, August 11th, Moritz Wormser acting as chairman. The following members were present: Messrs. Barnet, Boyd, Bullowa, Holzman, Kraus, Kustler, Knobloch, Morris, Stein, Wormser and, as guest, Charles Wormser. The topic for the evening was "Patriotic Society Medals and Badges." Exhibits were as follows:

Elliott Smith: Badges, Sons of the Revolution; Sons of the American Revolution; Sons of Veterans, commander's badge; Order of Washington; Order of the Spanish-American War; Society of the Colonial Dames of America; General Society of Mayflower Descendants; Military Order of the Loyal Legion; Order of Cincinnati; Naval, 3 varieties; Army and Navy of the Gulf; Society of 1812; Naval; Order of the Acorn; Society of American Wars; Daughters of the American Revolution; Order of Foreign Wars; Society of Colonial Wars and miniature; Daughters of the Revolution; Badge of the G. A. R.; American Veterans Foreign Service; Naval Order of the United States; Society of the Army of Santiago; silver and bronze; Order of the Cootie.

F. C. C. Boyd: Mr. Boyd exhibited a Masonic past master's jewel containing a 4 1/2-carat diamond as a center, surrounded with 2 1/2 carats of small diamonds, this badge being one presented to Henry Hill forty years ago. R. S. Holzman: Two \$1 bills with consecutive serial numbers, one signed by Mellon, the other by Mills.

J. Barnet: Collection of eighty card checks for beer, meals, bread, dancing lessons and money, different varieties.

E. Kraus: A bronze medal to Bobo, in recognition of his recent flight from Rome to Chicago and New York, and return.

H. J. Stein: Mr. Stein read a paper on "The Shekel: A Numismatic Enigma," this paper to be published in The Numismatist next month.

A rising vote of thanks was extended to Elliott Smith for his very interesting paper.

The executive committee suggested as the topic for the September meeting, "Type Coins of the United States and American Colonial Coins." By motion of the Club, this was ordered as the topic for the next meeting.

Harry J. Stein was authorized to act as our delegate at the American Numismatic Association Convention to be held in Chicago.

ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION—492d meeting, July 18,

President Sloane presiding. The following members were present: Messrs. Ambberg, G. J. Lindhoe, Moore, Peake, Horner, Plumb, Sloane, Harzinski, Babin, G. J. Bauer, Liess, Reddick and Foster. Mrs. Hart and Mr. Gilman were present as visitors.

Several communications were read and the secretary was instructed to answer them.

Mr. Lange's resignation was also read, and a motion was made and carried that it be accepted.

Plans for the next outing were made. This outing is to be held at Point Pelee on August 5th jointly with the first meeting of August. Mr. Sunday conducted the auction with his customary auctioneering, and managed to coax out a few bids.

ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION—493d meeting, August 5th, was held jointly with the third 1933 outing at Point Peake, on Irondequoit Bay. The following members were present: Messrs. Johanson, Lindhoe, Plumb, Liess, Horner, Harringx, Ambberg, Sloane, Gillette, Sunday, Babin, Bauer, Dr. Peake, E. Peake and Foster. Mrs. Sunday attended as a visitor. The afternoon was spent in different forms of sport.

Mr. Bauer gave us some more of his fine cookery and everyone had plenty to eat. A short meeting was held, with President Sloane presiding.

A letter was read from ex-President Kaufman, who has been spending the summer in the mountains. He said he missed the meetings and was looking forward to the time when he would be back in Rochester.

The subject of the 500th meeting was brought up and it was decided to cause it to fall on our next anniversary meeting by holding an outing in place of one or more meetings. It was further decided that we should have some suitable token to commemorate the event. Further discussion of the plans for this was carried over to the August 17th meeting.

PACIFIC COAST NUMISMATIC SOCIETY—214th meeting called to order by President Wernstrom, June 28th. The following members were present: Messrs. Wernstrom, Roy Hill, Wyman, Hicks, Knabenschuh, Jakobson, H. L. Hill, Kraft, DeSelms, Thomson and Hansen.

The secretary advised that Louis Goodman was sick at the Mount Zion Hospital, and was instructed to send him a letter of good wishes on behalf of the membership.

The Far Western Numismatic Conference committee reported progress.

The program committee reported that the July meeting would cover clearing-house certificates.

The secretary called attention to interesting articles in the Saturday Evening Post, May 27th, on "Gold," and June 3rd on "Printing Press Money in Germany." He also called attention to a book entitled "The Amazing Life of John Law," by G. Oudard, covering the well-known inflation period in France.

The program for the evening consisted of an "Every Member Work Night" and numerous interesting things were exhibited and explained by the members, among others: A shekel of Judea, by Wyman; U. S. half dollars, by Hicks; Siam saddle money, by H. L. Hill; necessity money, by Thomson; recent scrip, by Roy Hill, and California Ghost Town money, by Hansen.

PACIFIC COAST NUMISMATIC SOCIETY—215th meeting called to order by President Wernstrom, July 26th. The following members were present: Messrs. Wernstrom, DeSelms, Webb, Rausch, H. L. Hill, Kraft, Brandon, Wilson, Hicks, Roy Hill, Wyman and Hansen. Guest: Alan W. Hazelton, of Los Angeles.

The Far Western Numismatic Conference committee reported progress.

The program committee announced that the August meeting would cover United States Possessions.

The president introduced Mr. Hazelton, of Los Angeles, who spoke briefly to the members.

It was announced that Louis Goodman had been operated on and that at the moment he was progressing nicely.

Mr. Wernstrom made the following exhibit: Lepton, Ancient Judean Chinese chess money, 2 pieces of pu money, 1000 cash and mirror money; 1907 Clearing-House certificates, Portland, Oregon and San Francisco, Cal. Cashier's check of the Drovers and Merchants Bank, St. Joseph, Mo., 1907. The program for the evening consisted of the reading by Mr. Wilson of an article on San Francisco Clearing-House certificates that had appeared in the San Francisco Call, February 16th, 1908. Mr. Wilson also gave an entertaining account of his recent Eastern trip and the various numismatists he had encountered.

NUMISMATIC AND ANTIQUARIAN SOCIETY OF PHILADELPHIA—A special meeting was held by invitation of Hon. George Henderson at his country residence, Howellville road, near Paoli, on June 1. Members present, 18, and a number of guests, who assembled at the Valley Forge Memorial Chapel at 10:30 A. M. The Rev. W. Herbert Burk conducted those assembled through the chapel, museum and rooms of the buildings, also had the carillon play several pieces, and gave a talk on the origin and object of the memorial. The members then went by autos to the following points of historical interest.

General Know Headquarters, where Mrs. D. L. Shlwartz conducted the

objects; General duPortail Headquarters, where Mrs. Ralph B. Howland showed the members many interesting objects; Lord Stirling Headquarters, where Mrs. Woolman kindly exhibited objects of historical interest, such as pictures and furniture.

The residence of Mr. Ellwood J. Rotan, known as Old Oak Farm, was next visited, where many interesting objects were exhibited and commented upon. The last of the historical places visited was the Diamond Rock Schoolhouse, an old octagonal building.

The residence of the Hon. Geo. Henderson was next visited by Dr. S. W. Woodhouse, Jr., after which the judge called attention to a number of interesting objects and made a short address, followed by a collation, after which the members thanked their host and the very pleasant excursion terminated.

BUFFALO NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION—July 10, Kenneth O. Draudt, vice-president, in the chair. Members present: Judge Knight, Messrs. Hopkins, Girmann, Whittall, Lloyd, Taylor, Becker, Joyce, Walker and Paulson. Mr. Lloyd and Mr. Hopkins commented on the Bluestone sale, calling attention to the material offered of unusual interest.

Mr. Hopkins displayed the Castorland tokens in silver and bronze, with comments and an article on the series.

Mr. Draudt related some interesting events on his trip to New England. Exhibits were as follows:

Mr. Joyce: Presidential medal of Roosevelt and Garner in golden bronze.

Mr. Lloyd: Buffalo G. A. R. badge, 1897, and Sons of the American Revolution badge, Buffalo, 1908, first to be shown at the club.

Mr. Taylor: Silver certificate, 1896, unc. Tillman and Morgan; 1880, \$5 U. S. note, Bruce and Wyman; 1875, \$2 U. S. note, Allison and New; cut sheet of 4 \$1 1880 U. S. notes, Bruce and Wyman; national bank note, 1902-1908, the Columbian National Bank of Buffalo, \$10, Napier and McCung; National Bank of Commerce, 1880, \$10, brown back, with signature of J. P. Morgan, president. All notes crisp and very interesting.

A very brief auction consisting of store cards brought the meeting to a close.

BUFFALO NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION—144th meeting, July 24th. Members present: Messrs. Hopkins, Stoaks, Taylor, Lloyd, Becker, Knight, Girmann, Whittall, Joyce, Walker and Paulson. Vice-President Draudt took the chair in the absence of Mr. Mosher. Visitors, John C. Tracy, Jr., and P. A. Carroll.

The "Fellowship committee" was created to call on inactive members and those unable to attend through sickness, etc.

After regular business was disposed of an auction of good size was carried through, Mr. Draudt acting as auctioneer.

Mr. Lloyd displayed the \$1 silver certificate. Series of 1928-B, with signature of Ogden L. Mills, and commented on the series, plate numbers, etc. Regular exhibits were as follows:

Mr. Draudt: 1793 cent, Crosby 3-c, very fine; 1794 cent, Hays 44, v. g. Mr. Hopkins: A cabinet for paper money display, double glass face to show both obverse and reverse, and filled with a choice lot of U. S. notes and certificates.

Mr. Girmann: Idler's copper half dollar of 1792, with "Washington President I" and bust, v. fine. Also a choice dollar of Yuan-shi-kai, plumed hat. Mr. Lloyd: Old street-car tokens: Pendleton St. R. R. in rubber; Passenger R. R. Co. of Cincinnati in red celluloid; Inclined Plane Ry. of Cincinnati; Sixth and Eighth Ave. Omnibus Lines, oval, brass.

CALIFORNIA COIN CLUB—66th meeting, August 1st. Those who attended were: Messrs. Carey, Carlson, Davore, Gilhousen, Goldberg, Haas, Harbeck, Hart, Herring, Jorgensen, Kirkpatrick, Krachey, Laible, Larson, Ed M. Lee, Kenneth Lee, May, McCormick, Pradeau, Smith and Van Rossem. Guests present were: Mrs. Herrling, E. H. Carpenter and Wm. A. Exline.

A report was made on the forthcoming Far Western Numismatic Con-

1933.
ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION NUMBER VIII.

NOTICE.

The first meeting in August will be held jointly with the Third Outing at Point Peake on Saturday August 5th. We will meet at the Genesee Motor Co., corner of St. Paul and Franklin Sts., and leave at 1:30 P. M. Mrs. Hart plans to do the "The Honors" with the "Eats".

NOTICE.

The second August meeting will be held at the Rochester Museum of Arts & Sciences on August 15th at 8 P. M.

PROGRAM.

Awards will be made for the Exhibitors at the Rochester Progress Exposition.

Discussion of ways and means to cause the 500th meeting of the R. N. A. to fall on Annual Meeting on January 4th.

Attending the A. N. A. Convention in Chicago Aug. 26-31.

Question Period:

The following question has been submitted for discussion;

Are all of the United States coins or money still redeemable by the government?

Think this over and prepare your answer for this meeting.

If you have any questions to ask or problems you would like discussed bring them to the Question Period at this or any other meeting.

AMERICAN NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION.

Are you a member of the A. N. A.? If you are not you are missing a valuable numismatic contact that you cannot afford to lose. See the Secretary about becoming a member of this organization. You won't regret it.

Nearly all A. N. A. members are familiar with the recent addition of valuable books to the A. N. A. Library. These books are loaned free of charge to all members in good standing.

Rochester members have a distinct advantage in borrowing books from this library as they do not have to pay any postage.

Better take advantage of your opportunities.

Illustration.

The illustration was left off of this notice because a new type of stencil was used. And the secretary is not entirely familiar with its operation. The illustrations will continue after he has had a little experience.

Charles W. Foster Secretary.

Applications for membership were received from Wm. A. Exline and Frank M. Tierney. The by-laws were suspended and they were unanimously elected to membership.

Mr. Carey suggested an amendment to the by-laws whereby Article 3, Section 1, shall be changed to read, "That the term of office shall expire at the close of the December meeting." The suggestion was adopted.

Dr. Pradeau spoke on the forthcoming Far Western Numismatic Conference to be held in San Francisco October 20-22. An expression from all the members showed there will be a number attending from our club.

The exhibits for this meeting were for copper coins and medals, and the remainder of the evening was given over to the inspection of them. Prizes were given for the three best exhibits in the minds of those attending and inspecting them. The close of balloting found Dr. Pradeau, first; O. B. Carlson, second; Mrs. McCormick, third. The exhibitors and material displayed were as follows:

Dr. Pradeau: 221 copper medals of prominent men.

Dr. Harbeck: 75 copper coins of the Byzantine Empire. Mrs. McCormick: 65 different Russian 5-kopeck pieces; 13 different Siberian 10-kopeck pieces; 35 different Siberian minor copper pieces.

O. B. Carlson: 35 rare Swedish copper pieces, Iceland medals, Danish West Indies counterstamped pieces, Danish siege pieces, etc.

H. G. Kirkpatrick: Roman aes, Swedish $\frac{1}{4}$ -daler plate money, English patterns, colonials, etc. Dr. Smith: Case and 15 Napoleonic medals of 1814; case and 12 French medals of 1816.

Ed M. Lee: U. S. and Pioneer pattern pieces in copper, English copper, miscellaneous copper pieces from out-of-the-way places, etc.

Each exhibitor explained his or her exhibit to the group, which added considerable interest to everyone. The evening was concluded with an auction sale, Dr. Harbeck officiating as auctioneer.

ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION—494th meeting, August 15, President Sloane presiding. The following members were present: Messrs. Plumb, Reddick, Sunday, Liess, Sloane, Dr. Peake, Horner, Amberg, Babin and Foster. Mr. Gilman was present as a visitor.

A schedule of meetings for the balance of the year was submitted and adopted. This schedule provided meetings three weeks apart and arranging the 500th meeting to come at the same time as the twenty-second annual banquet.

Plans were made for the fourth outing of the season to be held at Point Peake on September 9th. The possibilities of a horseshoe pitching contest this year was disclosed. It was decided to hold it at an outing a little later in the year.

As there was no further business, the meeting was turned over to the auctioneer.

BUFFALO NUMISMATIC SOCIETY—145th meeting, Aug. 14th. Members present: Messrs. Mosher, president; Draudt, Hopkins, Becker, Lloyd, Girmann, Schunke, Taylor, Joyce, Karkau, Walker, Paulson and Mr. Tracy, a visitor.

The report of the curator, tabled since May, was brought up for final action by the executive committee. The recommendations of the curator were formally adopted for the most part, with two recommendations tabled indefinitely because of recent circumstances.

Committee reported on the activity of the friendship committee, and the visits were considered successful.

The treasurer was authorized to meet bills for library purchases, since the budget allowance had not been used to any degree. Items Woods, "Coinage of the West Indies," \$5, and Miller-Ryder, "State Coinage of Massachusetts, Vermont and Connecticut," \$3.

Mr. Lloyd solicited proxies for the A. N. A. convention and commented on the nominations. Members present assented to a resolution to be presented with the idea of improving the nominating procedure.

Exhibits were as follows:

Mr. Hopkins: The official World's Fair medal, and some tokens of the Fair; a cut sheet of \$1 certificates, Woods and Woodin, plate No. 1; several

Mr. Draudt: Six cents of 1793 and 35 varieties of cents of 1794, all very good to fine.

Mr. Karkau: \$10 gold certificate, 1922 series, Speelman and White.

Mr. Lloyd: 5 National Bank notes, Manufacturers and Traders National Bank of Buffalo, red seal, Ramsdell and Fryer; same, but blue seal, Aspinwall and Ramsdell, Unc. Series of 1902.

Mr. Mosher: Green's Mint Report, 1933; silver stater of Bactria, 379-338 B. C.; six 50-tael sycee shoes of China weighing about four pounds each, and 25 one-tael pieces sycee. This exhibit, being very unusual and interesting, appealed to all the members. Mr. Mosher commented on the exhibit and the use of the pieces. A motion carried that Mr. Mosher be given a rising vote of thanks for his very interesting exhibit.

(Other Reports will be found on Page 666.)

CHINESE DOLLAR SIZE COIN WITHDRAWN FROM CIRCULATION.

In connection with the illustration of the Chinese dollar coin illustrated on page 568 of our September issue, Harry W. Rapp, of Detroit, sends the following, which appeared recently in one of the Detroit papers.

When a coin is supposed to last as long as the Government that sponsors it, and it may be doubled if in all the records of numismatics there was ever a coin that "lived" only a day. Such a coin, a silver dollar, has just been received by a member of the editorial staff of the Washington Evening Star from a friend in China. It was minted a few weeks ago and immediately upon its appearance it was condemned by certain high officials and withdrawn from circulation. It was a perfectly good dollar, as respects buying power—and it is yet, for that matter, being worth as currency something around 30 cents in American money. But it was "bad money" in official Chinese eyes because of its design, and so it was hastily scooped back into the treasury, only a few coins escaping the dragnet of the "recovery" administration. It is altogether likely that they will gain in value from the numismatic viewpoint, as samples of perhaps the shortest-lived dollar ever minted.

The obverse of the coin bears a portrait of Sun Yat Sen, the modern patron saint of China, in profile. The reverse shows a junk, symbolizing China, sailing toward a rising sun, typifying the new era, while overhead fly three doves, representing the three principles of Sun Yat Sen "Nationalism, Democracy and Livelihood." By some strange kink of the artistic mind—perhaps with deliberate intent—these three doves were somewhat distorted and the sensitive Chinese official mind at once read into the symbol a sinister significance. Instead of representing China as facing toward the sunrise of progress and development under the guidance of the principles of Sun Yat Sen, the powers at Nanking interpreted the three doves as Japanese airplanes about to drop bombs upon helpless China and driving it directly into the rising sun of Japan.

This unpleasant interpretation of the original design is not at once evident to the Western mind, but evidently the picture presented by the reverse of the new dollar caused China to "lose face" and hasten to erase the sinister symbolism, the die of the reverse being recut, the doves and the rising sun deleted, and the coin, thus amended, struck anew. The foreign resident of China who sent the coin to his friend in Washington as a souvenir wrote: "We are sensitive to non-essentials here in China, but can conveniently close our eyes to major issues."

France's paper money is being replaced with metal coins. After the two new silver coins of 10 and 20 francs each, a new coin of nickel will replace the small 5-franc notes, which will be withdrawn from circulation, according to a Paris correspondent of the New York Times.

The nickel coins are designed in a size intermediate between the two silver coins. Five different designs have been struck and are now on exhibition at the national mint. At the close of the exhibition a choice of the design will be made, and the coins will be put into use probably at the

American Numismatic Association
♦ BANQUET ♦

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 30, 1933
AT 7:00 P. M.

GOLD ROOM ♦ CONGRESS HOTEL



M E N U

Widows Mite Cocktail

Two Bit Radishes

Schekel Celery Olives la Half Pence

Pieces of Eight Vermicelli

Chicago Coin Club Steak

Buffalo Nickel Potatoes

Currency String Beans

Century of Progress Salad

Ice Cream a la Blake

Duffield Cakes

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ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION NUMBER IX.

NOTICE.

The 4th 1933 Outing will be held on Saturday Sept. 9th, at Point Peake.

We will meet at the Genesee Motor Co., Corner of St. Paul and Franklin Sts., at 1:30 P. M.

Come prepared to get in some serious practice for the "Horseshoe Contest" which will be held at the next outing.

Hear all about the A. N. A. Convention and "A Century of Progress" from those who went to Chicago.

R. N. A. LIBRARY.

Col. Robert E. Wyllie's "Orders, Decorations and Insignia" has been purchased and placed in our library. This very interesting work on military orders may be borrowed by any member of the R. N. A. in good standing. See the Secretary.

NOTICE.

The 495th meeting of the R. N. A. will be held on Sept. 19, at the Rochester Museum of Arts & Sciences.

The other dates on which meetings will be held during the balance of the year are listed below. Each member should be careful to note this change. It was made at the last meeting so that the 500th Meeting would come together with the 22nd Annual Banquet.

496th Meeting on October 10th.

497th " " " 31st.

498th " " November 21st.

499th " " December 12th.

500th " with 22nd Annual Banquet.

BE SURE TO REMEMBER THIS CHANGE BETTER MARK YOUR
CALENDAR NOW.

Charles W. Foote Secretary.

seconded and passed. Dr. Pradeau also read a letter concerning some of the details of the conference received since last meeting. The schedule of events as planned was read. On a rising vote, ten of those members present at the meeting were planning to attend.

It was moved and passed that a committee be appointed to officially represent the C. C. C. and extend an invitation to meet in Los Angeles next year. Those voted to assist Mr. Carey, the president, were Dr. A. F. Pradeau and Ed M. Lee. Considerable discussion ensued on next year's meeting, plans etc., to be presented at San Francisco. Final reading was made of the proposed amendment to the constitution and by-laws whereby Article 5, Section 1 of the by-laws was changed to read "that the term of office shall expire at the close of the December meeting." On behalf of the club, Dr. Harbeck presented Mrs. McCormick with a beautiful basket of flowers as a small token of appreciation of the club for her continued interest and work, the donation of her home on many occasions for our meetings, etc. Following the meeting an auction was held.

DETROIT COIN CLUB—224th meeting, September 25. Members present: Messrs. F. Bott, Dworkowski, Camp, Dr. Kier, Brisley, Rapp, Hutchinson, Hubel, Curti, Duff, Needles, Kaller, Watson, Eggert, Fulton, Hoare, Hubel, Stehfest and Dr. R. Renz. Meeting was called to order by President Dr. Camp. New Bedford relative to information of the Detroit Coin Club sent him for publication about Mr. I. Binder. Letter was read from W. G. Campbell relative to Confederate currency. Mr. Dworkowski read an article on Chinese coinage published in a Windsor (Ontario) paper.

Exhibits were as follows:

Mr. Camp: New Hampshire cent, 1776, copper; "Massachusetts in New England" sixpence.
Mr. Kaller: Gold dollar, Louisiana Purchase, 1903, Unc.; two escudos, gold, Spain, 1786, Unc.; New Jersey, one shilling bill, 1776.
Mr. Rapp: Silver token, Pedley Ryan, Type 5, Unc.; Silver token, Montana, Unc.
Mr. Needles: 80 miscellaneous coins of Spain, 1557 to date.
Dr. R. Renz: 1877 U. S. \$3 gold piece, brilliant proof.

DETROIT COIN CLUB—225th meeting, October 5. Members present: Messrs. Noyes, Dodd, Fulton, Eggert, Watson, Hoare, Kramer, Livingstone, Kling, Brisley, Dworkowski, Dr. R. Renz, Needles, Kullar, Hinbel and Stehfest. Meeting was called to order by President Hinbel. A communication was received from the Western Reserve Numismatic Club, inviting Detroit Coin Club members to their annual banquet and exhibition. Communication and catalogue was received from the Ohio State Numismatic Society, inviting Detroit Club members to their convention as well as to exhibit. Motion was made to have the secretary get a price list of the sale prices of their auction.

Mr. Watson offered to write a paper on the English penny and read it at the October 19 meeting. Mr. Hinbel read a story, as written in the National Geographic Magazine of September, 1933, entitled "Pieces of Silver."

Exhibits were as follows:

Mr. Hoare: George III, 1798, gold spade and half spade guinea, Unc.
Mr. Needles: Set of porcelain coins, Saxony, 1921, Unc.
Dr. R. Renz: Five U. S. \$3 gold pieces dated, 1870, 1861, 1859, 1860, and 1856 S; thirty World's Fair medals, including Italian flyers' medals, several types of Lincoln medals, and set of official Century of Progress medals.

De Soto, Snyderman and Zamrycki as members, and they were elected unanimously.

Exhibits were as follows:

Mr. Snyderman: Bronze medal, 90 mm., commemorating the saving of the life of the Czar's family, Alexander III, October 17, 1888, and a chronology of all English sovereigns from William I to George III.
Mr. Tait: More than 300 transportation tokens, many rare and unusual pieces, nicely arranged in a cabinet—the best exhibit.
Mr. De Soto: Over one hundred Spanish silver coins, 1/2 dime to 1/2 dollar size, a nice collection, some rare dates
Mr. Leeder: Tokens of the American Chicle Candy Co. He also distributed lucky tokens to all present.
Mr. Koopman: Commemorative half dollars; complete series of tokens of the Charms Candy Co.
Mr. Werner: Pictures of the A. N. A. convention; the Huey Long bronze medal, original size, also a small restruck of same; Order of the Purple Heart, an original; Curaçao tokens, one striver, one counterstamped.

Mr. Kraus: Century of Progress medal, three sizes, and convention badge.
The topic of the next meeting will be held on November 8 at 8 P. M. at the home of Mr. M. Klaif, 2447, 60th St., Brooklyn. All visitors and collectors are invited to attend.

ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION—495th meeting, September 19. President Sloane presiding. The following members were present: Dr. Peake, Messrs. Horner, Plumb, G. J. Lindhoe, Amberg, Sloane, Moore, Babin, G. J. Bauer, Johanson, Sunday, Sierka, Gillette and Reddick. Mrs. Hart, Mr. Perry, Mr. Peck, Mrs. Cragg and her daughter were present as visitors.

Mr. Bauer gave an interesting talk on several ancient coins which proved to be fakes. These coins appeared to be the work of some forger other than Becker and Cristofulos. Mr. Bauer extended his remarks on the coins of these two famous forgers and showed how they were made to deceive collectors and how well they did deceive those unfamiliar with the forgeries of ancient coins.

Auctioneer Sunday conducted the auction in his usual manner and after hard work managed to make some sales to the spirited bidders. Mr. Gillette carried away most of the bargains, although several others got a few.

ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION—496th meeting, October 10. President Sloane presiding. The following members were present: Messrs. Plumb, Cabelka, Dr. Peake, Moore, G. J. Lindhoe, Babin, Horner, Sloane, Gillette, G. J. Bauer, Amberg, Kolb and Foster, and Mrs. Hart was present as a visitor.

A communication was read from Harley L. Freeman regarding the coming annual banquet of the Western Reserve Numismatic Society. It was decided to hold the 1933 championship horseshoe pitching meet at Earl Potter's on Saturday, October 14. Plans were discussed for a token for our 50th meeting. A motion was made and carried that each member submit at the next meeting his design for this token. Final decision would then be made. Everyone was urged to prepare if possible an original design to commemorate this milestone in the R. N. A.'s history, as we believe we are the first numismatic organization to reach the 500th meeting. The secretary urged the members to prepare papers for the meeting programs and Mr. Bauer spoke on the knowledge gained from such preparation. He promised a paper and urged the others to do likewise. The meeting was then turned over to Auctioneer Sunday, who successfully disposed of material brought in for the auction, including some Confederate currency.

BROOKLYN COIN CLUB—Eighth meeting, October 11th. All members present, including Messrs. Tait, De Soto and Snyderman as guests.

Messrs. Klaif, Kraus and Werner spoke on their visit to the World's Fair and the A. N. A. convention.
The by-laws were set aside and motion was made to elect Messrs. Tait,

ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION OUTING.

The Rochester Numismatic Association held its third annual horseshoe pitching contest at Earl Potter's on October 14, 1933. Each contestant bore the name of some famous Colonial coin and played in rotation with

everyone else. Eleven-point games were played, making a possible 121 points for the series. A. H. Plumb ("New Jersey Cent") scored 116 points. The outstanding feat of the series came in the last game, when "Continental Dollar" (Amberg) scored a ringer. After the contest everyone sat down to a fine supper at the Potters. When the supper was over the "card sharks" held forth for a couple of hours.

WHAT HAVE YOU BEEN READING LATELY?

There are so many good things to read on our subject that it is hard to keep up with it all, but did you see the September, 1933, National Geographic Magazine? There you will find an interesting article by Frederick Simpich, "Pieces of Silver." Did you see Asia Magazine for January, 1933? If you would like to know something about Soviet Russia currency, get it and read "Rubles at Home," by Walter Duranty.

You can now get the "Story of Money," by Norman Angell, in the \$1 edition, and it makes fine reading for the winter nights. Quite by accident I came across a copy of the Canadian Geographical Journal for July, 1931, and found in it an article by J. H. Campbell on the Royal Mint and its branches.

"Banking Through the Ages," by Noble Foster Hoggson (Dodd Mead and Co., 1926) is interesting to the banker and the numismatist alike. Ever pick out articles in the Encyclopedias Britannica? Try "Money," "Gold," "Silver," "Medals," "Orders of Knighthood," etc.

HARVEY L. HANSEN.

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ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION NUMBER X.

NOTICE.

The 49th meeting will be held on Tuesday evening October 10th at the Rochester Museum of Arts & Sciences at 8 P. M.

The Numismatic Season is now open. Be sure to attend the meetings and get your limit of "Numismatiks". We are doing our best to make these meetings worthwhile.

At this meeting we should discuss the annual Horse-shoe Pitching Contest and settle on plans before the season is over.

There is also, the problem of a token for our 500th meeting. This should be settled soon.

Part of the program at this meeting will be the

QUESTION PERIOD,

during which questions on any phase of Numismatics may be asked and answered - if possible. So bring your questions and now until the end of this year at least, we will have the questions and answers back on the notice sheet.

WANTED.

Volunteers to prepare papers for our meeting programs. There is now a period of three weeks between meetings, this should be ample time in which to prepare a short paper. There are many interesting things in numismatics to be told and retold. Beside making our meetings interesting and worthwhile attending, these papers, are a distinct benefit and value to the one who prepares them. For it is he who learns the most.

NUMISMATIC MAXIMS FOR BEGINNERS

AND OTHERS, by Howland Wood.
(Numismatist June 1931).

7. Don't take any man's word that a coin is unique. There far fewer unique coins than there are said to be.
8. Coins rated "Unique in this Condition" beware of. There are very few coins or medals unique in gold; generally two or more were struck, despite what the one who knows says.
9. Collect if possible coins in the best condition; you will then buy but once, and when you want to sell you have something worth selling.
10. A poor coin is an aggravation and an eyesore, and you, as a rule can get little for it when you want to sell.

Charles W. Foster
Secretary.

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ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION NUMBER XI.

NOTICE.

The 497th meeting will be held on Tuesday evening
Oct. 31, at the Rochester Museum of Arts & Sciences at 8
P. M.



PROGRAM.

Discussion of designs for our 500th Meeting Token.

All members are requested by a motion made at the last meeting to submit designs for this token at this meeting. Do not forget to set yours down on paper and bring it.

CIDER

AUCTION.

DOUGHNUTS.

NUMISMATIC MAXIMS FOR BEGINNERS
AND OTHERS. By Howland Wood.
(Numismatist June 1931).

11. Always handle a coin by the edge, even though it be a poor coin, as it is well to acquire the habit.
12. Be careful of unnecessarily handling of fine coins belonging to others.

Charles W. Foster Secretary.

building of the organization, in addition to which his erudition and broad numismatic experience has done much towards maintaining the high standards of the founders of the Boston Numismatic Society.

The president reminded those present that Mr. Wheeler was the only member to have held, at one time or another, all the offices at the disposal of the society, namely, secretary, treasurer, vice-president and curator, and president.

All present then rose to express to Mr. Wheeler their congratulations upon his anniversary, their wishes for many more to follow and their appreciation of his years of service to the society.

Exhibits were as follows:

Mr. Stafford: A series of four pieces of scrip, 3c., 6c., 9c., 12c., of the Sciotio Trading Co. (Compagnie de Scioti), issued presumably about 1788, the year in which the company was organized. These are said to be very rare.

Mr. Nichols: An interesting old weighing device for testing weights of U. S. gold and silver coins; a small silver ingot from the U. S. mint at San Francisco, 999.75 fine, 6.01 ounces; specimen bank notes, \$1, \$2, \$3, \$5 of the old Searsport Bank, Searsport, Maine; uncut sheet of U. S. 10c. postal currency; uncut sheet of four U. S. \$1 silver certificates; uncut sheet of four \$5 national bank notes, series of 1882, of the Winthrop National Bank, Boston, Mass.

Mr. Davis: Penny celluloid transportation token of the London City Connell; Masonic silver chapter token of Pythagoras Chapter No. 17, Hartford, Conn., and another of McKinley Chapter, No. 181, Cleveland, Ohio; bronze medal of the Brazilian centenary of independence, 1922.

Mr. Wheeler: Italian 10 centesimi, 1927; bronze medal given by the State of Massachusetts to the first volunteers from Massachusetts during the Civil War, with clasp reading "Massachusetts Minutemen, 1861."

Mr. Blaney: Spanish dollar of Philip III, struck in 1622; Spanish copper piece of Ferdinand and Isabella; English penny of George III, 1806, counterstamped "J. P.," largest size Century of Progress Exhibition medal in bronze.

ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION—497th meeting, October 31.

President Soane presiding. The following members were present: Messrs. Sloane, Kautman, Plumb, Dr. Peake, G. J. Lindhoe, Parker, Harzinski, Horner, Amburg, Babin, Sanday, Johanson, Kolb, G. J. Bauer, Gillette and Foster.

Several communications were read including one from Arthur L. Ross. Medals for the winners of the horseshoe contest were awarded.

Considerable time was spent in choosing and discussing a design for the proposed 50th meeting token. A design was selected and Mr. Kolb was asked to submit an estimate of the cost for 50 specimens at the next meeting.

After the usual auction doughnuts and cider were served and enjoyed by all present.

PITTSBURGH COIN CLUB—November 9. Present: Messrs. Keay, Eiben, Hunt, Butterbaugh, Keitzer, Salbach, Morris, Reinhart, Eastwood, Dunnigan, H. Gibbs, H. Gibbs, Jr., and Barker. A. Gutentag, of Cleveland, Ohio, was present as a visitor. H. D. Gibbs presided in the absence of Mr. Hunt, who was unable to be present at the opening of the business session.

The following exhibits were shown:

Mr. Sallich: Nickel coins of Cuba, Jamaica, Martinique, Haiti and Porto Rico.

Mr. Dunnigan: U. S. Trade dollars of Carson City mint, 1876 and 1877; half dime, 1853, without arrows at date, struck over 1852; half dime, 1794; two-cent piece of 1829 with inverted reverse; new type quarter dollar, 1916, and a cent of 1829.

Mr. Eiben: Several U. S. commemorative half dollars; Pittsburgh store cards, Pittock's News Depot; J. McKain, City Tea House, obverse, Hahn and Riddle; J. C. and W. H. Lippincott, grovers; Pittsburgh Deposit and Title Co.; also quarter dollar of 1847.

B. 986, in silver, B. 517 and B. 690; Raleigh plantation token of Florida; punch Bein token for New Orleans, struck on one-fourth part of a Spanish 8-real piece; Prince Edward Island, V crowned counterstamped on a Belgian 2-centime piece of 1833; Jamaica, twopence, counterstamped three times, GR crowned.

Mr. Gibbs, Jr.: U. S. Colonial bills of Pennsylvania.

Mr. Hunt: U. S. Baltimore Town threepence, silver; Carolina halfpenny, Lords Proprietors; England, copper satirical medal of John Kemble, actor, Mr. Eastwood. Several early copper coins of Ceylon and two Conder tokens of England.

Mr. Barker: England, penny and halfpenny of the Commonwealth; groat of Henry VIII; also a James II "gun money" sixpence.

BROOKLYN COIN CLUB—Ninth meeting, November 8, President Klaif in the chair.

After old business was disposed of, a nominating committee for officers was appointed. Nomination and election of officers for 1934 will take place at the next meeting.

A rising vote of thanks was given to Mr. Tait for donating the club's stationery.

A committee was appointed for the execution of the design of the club emblem.

The club presented a mother medal to Mr. and Mrs. Goldberger, with congratulations upon the new addition in their family. Exhibits were as follows:

Mr. Werner: Teiradrachm of Prusias II; French bronze medals, 48 mm. of Marshal Foch, General Pershing, Woodrow Wilson; two French plaques, also a Hopkins wooden nickel of 1933.

Mr. Klaif: Panama-Pacific set, complete, unc.; Moffatt & Co. \$5 gold, 1850, v. f.; \$5 gold, 1800, fine; Indian wampum.

Mr. Tait: 24 transportation tokens; also a check list of U. S. transportation tokens listing about 1200 varieties.

Mr. Kraus: Copper transportation token with horse car, 1871, Orkland, Cal.; East Side Omnibus Corp., N. Y. City, transfer token, white metal.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mr. Kraus, December 13, at 8 P. M. All collectors are invited to attend.

WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA NUMISMATIC SOCIETY—November 7th. President Marlier in the chair. The following members were present: Messrs. Marlier, Clapp, Locker, Thorp, Hunt, Barker, Woodside, Manning and Gies.

Catalogues were received from Ch. Florange, Paris; Barney Bluestone; and The Numismatist.

Exhibitions were as follows:

Mr. Marlier: 20 ancient Roman fist bronzes and medallions. Mr. Clapp: U. S. cents—1793 Crosby, 3-C, 10-I, 12-K and 13-L, all uncirculated; 1794, H. 40 and 42, unc.; 1796, Gilbert 25, unc., and four varieties not in Gilbert, good to extra fine; 1799, 9 over 8, extra fine; 1800, D. 146 and 149, uncirculated; 1801, N. 13, 5-1b (obv. D. 156, rev. new, very good; 1802, N. 13, 9-Hc (D. 178), unc.; 1803, N. 22, 15-Qe and 15-Ql, large 3, small 1/100, very good; N. 24, 5-Sb (obv. D. 190, rev. new), unc.; 1804, break on obv. only, unc.

Mr. Locker: U. S. silver dollars of 1840, '46 and '78; large cents, 1838, Andrews 1 and 3; 1845, A. 5; 1851, A. 6, 7 and 8; 1852, A. 1; 1853, 1854, A. 8 and 2; 1855, A. 10; 1856, A. 7, and 1857, A. 1.

Mr. Thorp: \$1 bank notes, Chase National Bank, 1862, crisp; various other notes to 1923, including a complete set of Federal Reserve Bank notes, all crisp and incirculated.

Mr. Barker: Russia, roule, 1:12, commemorating the retreat of French from Moscow; also, roule, 1913, commemorating 300 years of the Romanoff House; early silver coin of Genoa and Liberian cent, 1896.

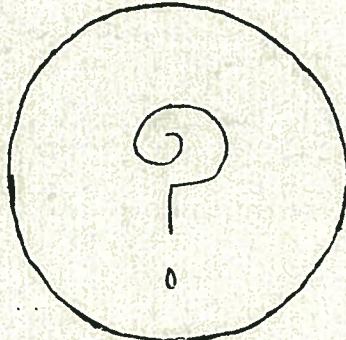
Mr. Woodside: Massachusetts Pine Tree shilling, small planchet; Ceylon, 48 stivers, 1808, unc.; Ireland, silver proof of Kneller's farthing of 1806; Straits Settlements, proof set of cent, half cent and quarter cent, 1862; Mr. Gibbs: Collection of coins of Mysore, 250 varieties; Canadian tokens.

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ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION NUMBER XII.

NOTICE.

The 498th meeting will be held on Tuesday evening
Nov. 21, at the Rochester Museum of Arts & Sciences
at 8 P. M.



500th Meeting Token.

Which will it be an Eagle or a Lady?

PROGRAM.

In addition to the decisions to be made regarding the design, cost etc., of the 500th meeting token, there will be the nomination of officers for 1934. This is all important business and you should be at the meeting.

There will be an Auction as usual with many nice things in it so bring along a little pin money and get your share of the bargains.

NUMISMATIC MAXIMS FOR BEGINNERS.

By Howland Wood.

We have only one Maxim for this notice and it is one of the most important ones in the entire list and incidently one that is least thought of by the average collector. You will never lose if you follow it.

13. A LIBRARY goes hand in hand with a Collection of Coins.

Charles W. Foster Secretary.

matic Club, in reference to his preparing a linoleum-block print of the Detroit Coin Club insignia. It was decided the club could not afford a linoleum block for their membership certificates.

As this was the annual meeting election of officers too place, Clifton A. Temple was elected president; first vice-president, James J. Curto; second vice-president, Russell W. Stehfest; Alexander M. Livingston, secretary and treasurer; Henry Kling, Jr., assistant secretary; board of governors, Robert W. Hubel, chairman; Harry W. Rapp and Lynn R. Noyes. These officers take office the first meeting in January.

Mr. Dworkowski read an article published in a Windsor, Ontario, paper December 6, telling of the death of George Bonteiller. Mr. Bonteiller had left his home in Windsor about ten years ago, and since then had lived in Hartford, Conn. He was an A. N. A. member and was known to several of the Detroit Coin Club members.

Exhibits were as follows:

L. R. Noyes: A collection of Russian, German, Austrian, Norwegian and United States silver coins made into shirt studs, collar buttons, watch chains, and fobs, listed under numismatic jewelry, worn by the well-dressed man of olden times.

R. W. Hubel: Gold stater of Philip II of Macedon. 359-336 B. C., symbol 336-323 B. C., city of Sidon, almost uncirculated. Gold stater of Alexander the Great. Dr. R. Renz: 1798, Great Britain, 7 shillings of George III, very fine; 1826, Papal States, gold scudo, very fine; 1865, Hamburg, Germany, ducat gold, uncirculated; 1713, Great Britain, Queen Anne, guinea, very fine; 1800, United States gold \$5, extremely fine. National bank bill, The Telford National Bank of Telford, Pa., No. F000001A. The First National Bank of Linsdale, Pa., No. C000001A. \$1 bill, The Provincial Bank of Kwang Tung Province, China, printed by the American Bank Note Company.

ATLANTA COIN CLUB—November 7th. E. P. Tomlinson, president. Members present were Messrs. Tomlinson, Hardwick, Gonzales, Morgan, Ketcham, Cate and Warner. Visitors, R. C. Davis, F. Brown, Mrs. M. C. Morgan and Mr. and Mrs. Tomlin.

It was decided that at the next meeting a dinner would be served free to members, after which the election of officers for the next year would take place.

Mr. Hardwick gave a very interesting talk on fractional currency and coins in general, which was enjoyed by all.

After an interesting display of coins for the benefit of the visitors the meeting was adjourned.

ATLANTA COIN CLUB—November 21st. President Tomlinson presiding. After a delightful dinner the meeting was called to order.

An election of officers was held. The following officers were elected to serve the coming year:

E. P. Morgan, president; F. W. Cate, vice-president; W. J. Warner, secretary and treasurer; I. W. Granade, assistant secretary. The following members were present: J. H. Hardwick, J. J. Gonzales, R. C. Davis, F. W. Cate, D. R. Sanders, E. P. Tomlinson, I. W. Granade and W. J. Warner. Visitors were Miss Elsie V. Hansen, Mrs. F. W. Cate and Captain McBrown. Mrs. F. W. Cate was elected to membership, being the first lady member of the Atlanta Coin Club. The Club is very proud to have her and hope that other ladies will follow suit.

ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION—49th meeting, November 21, 1933. President Sloane presiding. The following nominations were made by the committee: Messrs. Plumb, Amberg, G. J. Lindboe, Kaufman, Dr. Peake, Sloane, Harzinski, Gillette, Liess, Horner, Babin, Sunday and Foster. The following were appointed by President Sloane to act as a nominating committee: Mr. Gillette, Mr. Plumb and Mr. Sunday. The following nominations were made by the committee: For president, Charles W. Foster; for vice-president, Earl H. Potter; for secretary, L. L. Babin or Joseph B. Harzinski; for treasurer, A. A. Kolb or Clarence E. Moore.

The 500th meeting token was discussed and Mr. Kolb was authorized to

prepare 100 specimens of a uniface medal, using the design adopted at the previous meeting. The regular auction contained a variety of material from ancients to modern pieces. Fair prices were realized.

ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION—499th meeting, December 1933. 12. President Sloane presiding. The following members were present: Messrs. Horner, Plumb, Harzinski, Sierka, Kaufman, Lindboe, Dr. Peake, Sloane, Amberg, Babin, Sunday, Potter, Liess, Kolb, G. J. Bauer, Johanson, Parker and Foster. The following attended as visitors: Carlton Perry, S. Forvard and J. L. Haggarty.

Plans were made for the 500th meeting and the twenty-second annual banquet to be held at the Hotel Rochester on January 2nd. Mr. Foster, Mr. Bauer and Mr. Gillette were appointed to act as the dinner committee, and Dr. Peake was appointed to act as the entertainment committee. Dr. Peake was given authority to choose his own assistants. Mr. Kolb reported progress on the 500th meeting token and showed a proof of the medal. The tokens are priced at 75¢ each. The following were elected to office for 1934: President, Charles W. Foster; vice-president, Earl H. Potter; secretary, Joseph B. Harzinski; treasurer, Alphonse A. Kolb.

BRONX COIN CLUB—Second regular meeting, November 14th, O. T. Sghia, president, presiding. The following members were present: Messrs. Dewey, Goldstone, Knobloch, Kortjohn, Sghia and Stein, and as guests, Dr. Adams Bailey, W. L. Clark, J. Van Der Meer, and from the Brooklyn Coin Club, Messrs. Klaif, Klaus and Werner. Correspondence was read from Messrs. Duffield and Wilson, of the A. N. A. A complete set of the coin publications of the Scott Stamp and Coin Company were donated the club by Waite Raymond. The secretary was instructed to send a letter of thanks to Mr. Raymond.

The topic for the evening was "Early U. S. Cents and Ancient Coins." A paper was read by Mr. Stein, entitled, "New Deals—Ancient and Modern." A rising vote of thanks was extended Mr. Stein, and it was moved, seconded and carried the paper be sent to The Numismatist. A paper was read by Mr. Kortjohn on "The Cleaning of Rare Coins." A rising vote of thanks was extended Mr. Kortjohn. Copies will be made and distributed to the members. Exhibits were as follows:

Mr. Kortjohn: A collection of large cents and quarters.
Mr. Stein: Tetradrachm of Athens, uncirculated.
Mr. Clark: Odd copper coins.
Mr. Van Der Meer: German and Dutch silver coins.
Dr. Bailey: Cents of 1793, 1799 and 1804.
Mr. Knobloch: Ancient coins, 1 gold, 5 silver and 3 copper.
Mr. Dewey: Virginia half cent, unc.; Franklin Press cent, unc.; 1794 half cent, 1806 half cent, 1794 cent and 1795 half dime.
Mr. Sghia: Six uncirculated cents, eight ancient coins and one medal.

The constitution and by-laws were re-read with corrections as made by Mr. Stein and accepted and a copy forwarded to Harry T. Wilson, Secretary of the A. N. A. The constitution and by-laws were suspended and Dr. Adams Bailey, W. L. Clark and J. Van Der Meer were unanimously elected to membership. President Sghia donated one book and two priced catalogs to the club.

It was decided to purchase 12 of the books published by the California Stamp and Coin Company. It was decided that the topic for the December meeting is to be: "Colonial Coins and Coins of Countries Beginning with the Letter A."

BRONX COIN CLUB—3rd meeting, December 12th, O. T. Sghia, president, presiding. The following members were present: Messrs. Clark, Dewey, Goldstone, Dworkin, Knobloch, Kortjohn, Sghia, Stein and Van Der Meer. The secretary was instructed to extend an invitation to members of the Brooklyn Coin Club to visit us again.

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ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION NUMBER XIII.



NOTICE.

The 499th meeting will be held on Tuesday evening Dec. 12,
at the Rochester Museum of Arts & Sciences, at 8 P. M.

PROGRAM.

Everyone should attend this meeting as many important
things will come up, election of officers for 1934, 500th meet-
ing and 22nd annual banquet etc. BE SURE TO BE PRESENT.

1934 ELECTION CANDIDATES.

The following were nominated at the last meeting for the
various offices to be filled by this election.

For President: Charles W. Foster.

For Vice-President: Earl H. Potter.

For Secretary: L. L. Babin or
Joseph B. Harzinski.

For Treasurer: A. A. Kolb or
Clarence E. Moore.

Charles W. Foster Secy.